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Heavy downpour

- Normal life disrupted in city
- Farming activities pick up

Farmers transplanting paddy stalks at Siddalingapura near Mysuru this morning.

Mysuru, Aug.10 (RK&NNN)- Heavy rains lashed the city last night, throwing normal life out of gear in many parts, even as water entered many houses in low lying areas. Trees were uprooted in a few areas. However, due to the unscientific work taken up in several parts of the city, people had to suffer a lot.

The pipe-laying work has been taken up in many areas and the way the mud has piled up, has caused many pedestrians to step on them and as it sunk, they fell and suffered injuries.

In a few places, the roads are full of ditches and potholes and it was a nightmare for two-wheeler riders to negotiate them. A few of them even lost control of their vehicles, fell down and sustanined injuries.

There were dense clouds from yesterday afternoon itself. It started raining around 6 pm accompanied by thunder and it poured for a long time. In Brindavan Layout a huge tree was uprooted that fell on a car, which was completely damaged. In a few other areas the branches of trees fell, disrupting the traffic. A few roads had almost turned into lakes because of water logging.

There was almost two-feet deep water near KR Circle, Bamboo Bazaar Circle, Vinayak Nagar, Valmiki Road, Adi Chunchanagiri Road in Kuvempu Nagar, that caused problems to pedestrians and motorists.

(See DOWNPOUR on page 8)

Kurubarahalli Sy. No. 4 and Alanahalli Sy. No. 41

Committee decides

to recommend removal of "B Kharab" classification

- High Court to be informed
- Thereafter the proposal to be sent to Govt.

Mysuru, Aug. 10- The Government-constituted eight-member committee to look into the writ petitions on Kurubarahalli Survey No. 4 and Alanahalli Survey No. 41 has decided to bring to the notice of the Karnataka High Court to exclude the layouts coming under the said survey numbers from "B Kharab" (government land) classification and then submit a proposal to the State Government.

At the third meeting held yesterday at Room No. 510, Revenue Department, MS Building in Bengaluru, the committee, headed by Mysuru DC D. Randeep, opined that as the layouts including Alanahalli, K.C. Nagar and Income Tax Layouts have been formed years ago from the land that has been sanctioned by City Improvement Trust Board (CITB) (now MUDA), it was legitimate to exclude the layouts from "B Kharab" classification.

MUDA Commissioner Dr. M. Mahesh, who attended the meeting, told *Star of Mysore* that thousands of residents have built their houses on the land that has been legally sanctioned by a government body. "The meeting decided to approach the High Court and subsequently send a proposal to the State Government for the Cabinet to take a decision," he said.

DC D. Randeep

"There are over 72 writ petitions in the HC and also in the light of a stay brought by Pramoda Devi Wadiyar representing Mysuru royal family. As such, the issue has to be brought to the notice of the High Court. A proposal will be sent to exclude the layouts from "B Kharab" classification," he added.

On May 26, 2015, the then Mysuru DC had declared Kurubarahalli Sy. No. 4 and Alanahalli Sy. No. 41 as "B Kharab". 710.17 acres out of the 1,543 acres that has been declared as "B Kharab" in Kurubarahalli Sy. No. 4, and 74 acres out of 175 acres of Alanahalli Sy. No. 41 have been taken over by MUDA 70 years back to form layouts and to distribute sites.

(See COMMITTEE on page 8)

Cloud seeding to begin from Aug. 13

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (NNN)- Cloud formation in the month of August is really good. Hence, the State Government has decided to go ahead with cloud seeding from Aug. 13 (Sunday), said Organic Farming Research Station, Naganahalli Nodal Officer Dr. C. Govindarajau. Cloud-seeding planes have arrived at Varuna for the task.

Speaking to *Star of Mysore* here this morning, Dr. Govindaraju said, the city had experienced 20 mm rainfall last night and the rains are likely to continue for another three days.

Even if it rains well, the government has decided to go ahead with cloud seeding as

there is 100 mm rainfall deficit this year from January, he said.

The Chief Minister has released water for drinking and livestock but not water for paddy and sugarcane. However, it could be released for irrigating crops that are less water intensive like ragi and millets, said Dr. Govindaraju. The varieties of Ragi like KMR (Karnataka Mandya Ragi) 340, KMR 204, KMR 175 can be sown as they do not consume much water, he said.

The Hoysala Projects Pvt. Ltd. has bagged the Rs. 35.77 crore project for cloud seeding. This will be taken up over 60 days and will be done using three radars that will be set up in Bengaluru, Surapur and Gadag. Two aircraft will be used in Bengaluru and Hubballi.

Meanwhile, the Organic Farming Research Station, Naganahalli, which is celebrating its centenary has always kept it a low key affair. They have now plans to celebrate the valedictory in a big way, said Dr. Govindaraju.

STAR PUNCH By Satish Acharya

STAR OF MYSORE

"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."
Editor-in-Chief: K.B. GANAPATHY B.A; B.L.
Mysuru, Thursday 10th August 2017

Adjusting after accepting

India of ancient times, the then *Bharatavarsha*, much more in geographical area than that of the country after, and even before partition, has played host to scholars seeking knowledge at its zenith, a feature narrated in the history of Nalanda University, which is said to have on its rolls a 2,000-strong faculty and 10,000 students over 800 years between fifth and twelfth century coming from foreign countries, far and near. In a contrast of sorts, the land has also been visited by conquerors such as Alexander the Great of Macedonia in Greece during 356 BC and later the Moghals, Babur (1526-30 reign) being the founder of Moghal Empire, marauders such as Malik Kafur (14th century) and Ghazni Mohammed (17th century) who plundered wealth in addition to ruining sculptures of temples. Keeping company of these unwelcome aliens setting foot on the land have been explorers such as Vasco da Gama of Portugal (1498) and traders, particularly the British, who later colonised and ruled over the land's people, details of which are familiar to students of the land's history.

The foregoing brief narrative on *inter-country* movement of humans, specially in the past, has some similarities with the still continuing *inter-city* movement of people of the country, for which Bengaluru and Mysuru serve as unmistakable examples. One may notice the few differences between the two events, namely *a)* inter-country visits of the distant past and *b)* inter-city movement of the land's diaspora over the past few decades and continuing, namely, neither conquest nor destruction is involved, but only search of greener pastures in Karnataka's urban spaces.

The entry to and taking residence in the two major cities of the State by people hailing from other regions of country, in a trickle to start with and gradually swelling to their current headcount doesn't have a history of more than a few decades. After taking a firm footing in the State's prosperous two cities, through mainly trading and pursuing business enterprises, the sections among them turned their attention to cultural side to their life. Founding of region-specific groups such as Tamil Sangam, Kerala Samajam, Andhra Samskruthika Sangha, Bangiya Samithi, Punjabi Association and so on has happened without any sign of din, except on celebratory occasions.

All has been well in the glorious tradition of Kannadigas, *accepting* and even welcoming the influx of people speaking different tongues over past few decades until voices have been raised by pro-Kannada outfit that *adjusting* to the threat faced by local trading fraternity and also to Kannada, particularly for communicating in public domain. Barring people of the land outside Jammu and Kashmir from owing property is an unacceptable measure while people in the rest of the land have the only option of adjusting after accepting the ongoing influx.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

Nearly 1.5 billion people in India, Pakistan and Bangladesh are likely to face deadly heat waves within the next few decades due to climate change, exposing them to unsurvivable temperatures and widespread food crisis, a Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) study has warned. Scientists predicted that by the end of this century climate change could lead to severe summer heat waves in South Asia, a region of deep poverty where one-fifth of the world's population resides. Without significant reductions in carbon emissions, the heat waves could begin within as little as a few decades to strike the fertile Indus and Ganges river basins that produce much of the region's food supply, they said. — *In Business Standard.*

NEWS SPARKLERS

"Uncombable hair syndrome"

Melbourne: 7-year-old Shilah Yin is one of only around 100 people in the world with a condition known as "uncombable hair syndrome." Instead of downwards, her hair grows out from the scalp in multiple directions, and can't be combed flat.

Shilah, from Melbourne, Australia, was born with normal hair, but her parents noticed a strawberry blond fuzz growing on her scalp when she was 3 months old. The girl noticed her unusual hair when she was about 4, it made her feel uneasy at first, but after her parents told her it was special, she embraced her unique look. The Australian family didn't know about uncombable hair syndrome until last year, but now they want to educate others about the condition,through internet by often posting photos of Shilah's rebel mane. According to the National Institute of Health, there is no known cure for uncombable hair syndrome, but evidence shows that as children grow, their hair texture typically becomes more manageable, and sometimes returns to normal.

Wine in all colours

Madrid: People have been making wine of thousands of years, but in only three colours – red, white and rose. But not anymore. Spanish companies have come up with ways to make all-natural wines in pretty much any colour imaginable, from vibrant blue to green and even pink. It all started last year, when Spanish start-up Gïk unveiled the world's first blue wine. They spent two years working with scientists at the University of the Basque Country and food researchers at Azti Tecnecalia trying to use anthocyanin, a natural pigment in the grapes' skin, in order to manipulate the colour of wine. It became a great commercial success, sold over 100,000 bottles in under six months. But competition is ramping up, as other Spanish wineries are using similar technology to create all kinds of unusually-colored wines. Bodega Santa Margarita, in Caudete, Spain, offers different shades of blue wine, as well as green, orange and pink wines, as part of its "Passion" line. One thing is for sure, they are completely natural.

HEALTH CAPSULE by Bron Smith

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Sr. Superintendent of Post Offices accorded send-off

D. Shivaiah, Senior Superintendent of Post Offices, Mysuru Division, being felicitated along with his wife at the Divisional Office premises in Yadavagiri recently as others look on.

Mysuru, Aug.10- D. Shivaiah, Senior Superintendent of Post Offices, Mysuru Postal Division, was accorded a grand farewell at the Office of Senior Superintendent of Post Offices in Yadavagiri here on his retirement on July 31, 2017.

A dynamic officer, who has put in a service of 39 years,10 months and 13 days, Shivaiah, had earned name and fame in all the different ranks and different places he worked.

Shivaiah's involvement during the roll out to Core System Integration (CSI) was appreciated by the Directorate of the Department. He will be remembered for his contributions during opening of Passport Seva Kendra in Mysuru, Aadhaar Updation Service at Department of Posts and opening of a Delivery Post Office at Vijayanagar IV Stage.

Along with the staff of the Department, general public too attended the farewell function and expressed their gratitude for his service.

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VOICE OF THE READER

Eve-teasing incidents on the rise in Gokulam

Sir,

It is very unfortunate that a lot of women in Gokulam have stopped going on evening walks because of the alarming rise in the number of eve-teasing incidents. The area around Ex-MLA Ramdas' house and near Lions Sevaniketan School are particularly unsafe due to lack of street-lights.

Even girls as young as 11 years have been stalked by men on bikes. They have their helmets on and zoom past, so it's hard to note their bike number and see their face.

It's an appeal from the women in Gokulam to increase Police patrolling in the late evenings around the Lions School and to put up street-lights to prevent these kind of disgusting and untoward incidents.

Gokulam is home to many yoga students from all over the world and incidents like these are a blot on the city's image. Let's be proactive and take preventive measures before the situation escalates into something more serious.

—Mukta
on e-mail
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Retired scientist passes away

Mysuru, Aug. 10 - Dr. B.C. Subba Rao (94), former scientist at National Chemical Laboratory (NCL) and Hindustan Unilever Ltd. and a resident of Temple Road in Jayalakshmipuram here, passed away yesterday (Aug. 9) at his residence.

He leaves behind his wife Usha Subba Rao, sons Dr. Ashok Rao and Somesh Rao, daughter Sudha Omprakash, daughters-in-law and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were performed at Chirashanthidhama in Gokulam here this morning, according to family sources.

Dr. Rao, after completing his M.Sc., in Chemistry, pursued his Ph.D in an American University and obtained Doctorate. He later returned to India and took up a job at Indian Institute of Science. Dr. Rao has also worked in many organisations across the country and has also conducted various researches.

Prof. Herbert C. Brown, who was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize in Chemistry in 1979, had guided Dr. Subba Rao for his work on 'Hydroboration.' The

Dr. B.C. Subba Rao

Professor had remarked on the occasion that he had two gems among his innumerable students — one was Dr. B.C. Subba Rao and the other Dr. C.N.R. Rao *(Bharat Ratna)*.

To Our Readers

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Aadhaar mandatory for MUDA site applicants

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (RK&NNN)- The Centre has already made Aadhaar mandatory for getting PAN and filing Income Tax returns, besides making it compulsory for reaping the benefit of many other government schemes. It has also planned to introduce Aadhaar authentication a must in real estate deals.

The aim is to curb use of black money in property dealings and also come down heavily on *benami* transactions. Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) has also decided to follow the transparent method in order to curb violations by the site aspirants. As a first step, the site aspirants of Lalithadrinagar and R.T. Nagar must link their applications to Aadhaar cards and if it is not done, their applications will not be considered.

MUDA Commissioner Dr. M. Mahesh, speaking to *SOM* said, "The Authority is creating a data base of all the applicants regarding allotment of sites through government agencies. It is being done to check the seniority of applicants and their age. And, most importantly to maintain transparency in administration."

Previous experiences have shown that there could be two persons with the same names and one of them could misuse the name and make false claims for sites. There are more than 2,000 to 3,000 cases in the CID. To avoid such cheating, the Aadhaar linking is being made mandatory, he said.

Asked if people owning sites in private properties are also eligible to apply and whether those details will also show up once the Aadhaar is linked, he said that though they are eligible to apply they will not be entertained once it is found that they have bought properties from private developers. However, those with joint family properties are eligible to apply, he added.

Power disruption

Mysuru, Aug. 10- Owing to emergency maintenance works, power supply will be disrupted in the following areas on Aug. 12 from 10 am to 6 pm:

Tilaknagar, Kailasapuram, Ashoka Road, Pulikeshi Road, Sawday Road, Dewan's Road, RMC Circle, Cheluvamba Hospital, K.R. Hospital, Dhanvantri Road, Mandi Mohalla, Medar Block, Veeranagere, Vinoba Road, Kabir Road, Akbar Road, Irwin Road, RMC Yard and JLB Road, Metropole Circle and surrounding areas.

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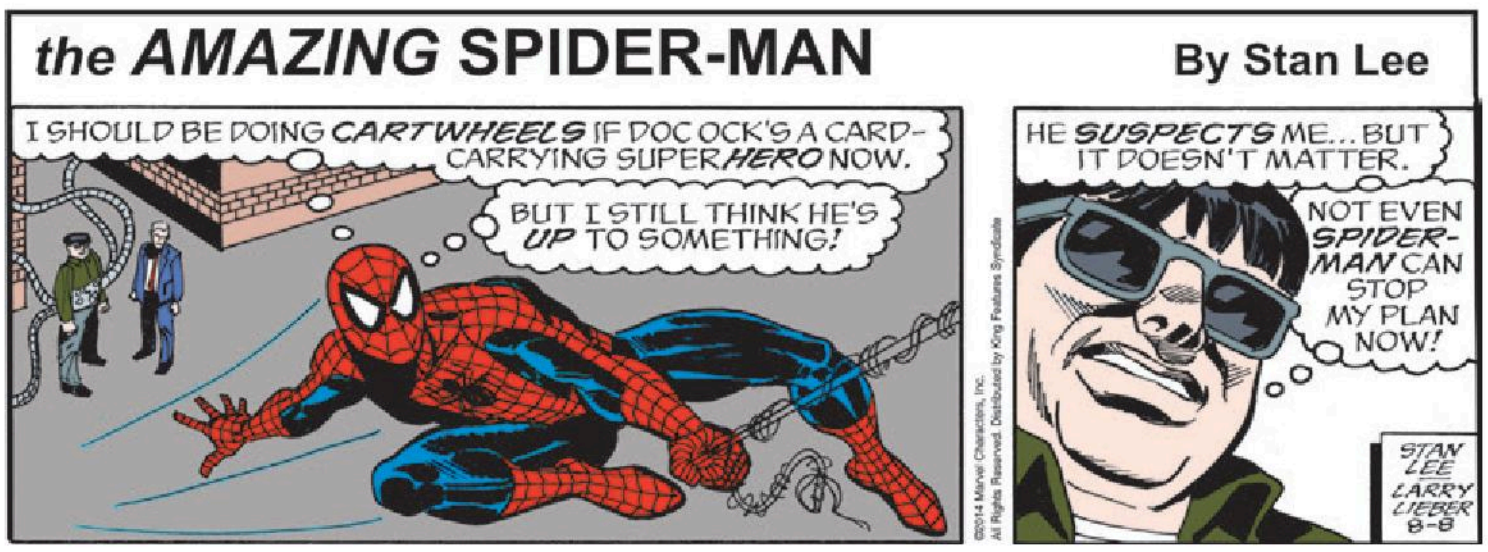
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NEWS BRIEFS

ZP meeting tomorrow

A progress review meeting will be held at Zilla Panchayat (ZP) auditorium in city tomorrow (Aug. 11) at 10.30 am. ZP President Nayeema Sulthana will preside.

No meat sale

On account of Krishna Janmashtami, all slaughter houses and meat shops in MCC limits in city will remain closed on Aug. 14.

Library Day lecture and book expo

As part of National Library Day (Aug.12), University of Mysore (UoM) Library has organised a lecture programme and Dr. S.R. Ranganathan's book expo at the Library premises in Manasagangothri tomorrow (Aug. 11) at 11 am. Prof. S. Shivarajappa, Director, Centre for Gandhian Studies, UoM, will deliver a lecture on the topic 'Granthalayadalli Adhyayanasheelate mattu Antarjala Balake - Ondu Anisike (A thought on Library and Internet usage).' Dr. R.T.D. Ramesh Gandhi, Librarian, PG Library, will preside.

AGM

The 35th Annual General Body Meeting (AGM) of The Citizens House Mortgage and Housing Co-operative Society Ltd., Chamaraja Mohalla, will be held on Aug. 13 at 10 am. For details, contact Ph: 0821-2422127.

Story-telling

Kalasuruchi has organised story-telling for kids by Arasikere Yogaanand, Drama Director, on Aug. 12 from 4.30 pm to 5.30 pm at Suruchi Rangamane, # 476, Chitrabhanu Road, Kuvempunagar. For details, contact Ph: 0821-2541795 or Mob: 92435-81097.

Cancer clinic

Preethi Cancer Centre has organised a free Cancer Detection Clinic at #873, Vani Vilas Road, Lakshmipuram, Mysuru today (Aug.10) from 10 am to 8 pm. For details, contact Ph: 0821- 4259259.

Inauguration of Ayyappa Samajam

The Mysuru District Unit of Sabarimale Ayyappa Seva Samajam (Karnataka) will be inaugurated at Ideal Jawa Rotary School auditorium on JLB Road in city on Aug. 11 at 11 am by S. Shivaram Guruswamy, actor and Karnataka State Sabarimale Ayyappa Seva Samajam Hon. President. Samajam National Vice-President and Karnataka State President T.B. Shekar Guruswamy, State Vice-President P. Devaraju and others will be present. For details, contact Ph: 0821-4252224.

MCDCC Bank extends

Rs. 452.47 crore loan in 2016-17

Chandrashekar

Mysuru, Aug.10- The Mysuru & Chamarajanagar District Central Co-operative (MCDCC) Bank has extended a loan of Rs. 452.47 crore last year according to the Bank Chairman S. Chandrashekar.

In a press release, Chandrashekar said that the loans disbursed included Rs. 357.41 crore short-term crop loan, Rs. 59.93 crore to new members of the Bank, Rs. 13.01 crore medium-term agricultural loan and Rs. 3.68 crore for purchase of tractor-trailers. also, 2,424 farmers have been extended Rs. 15.84 crore firewood loan, Rs. 3.93 crore to 168 Self-Help Groups, Rs. 8.30 crore credit loan to six Co-operative Societies and Rs. 69.82 crore non-agricultural loan to 9,687 members of the Bank, he said.

Continuing, Chandrashekar said that as per the Government's plan, the Bank has extended Rs. 3 lakh loans to farmers at zero percent interest in 2016-17. Pointing out that the Bank has proposed to extend Rs. 421 crore loan to 48,850 farmers in 2017-18, he said.

Asserting that the Bank had shown progress in loan recoveries, he said that the Bank had recorded 76.60 percent agriculture loan recovery and 91.44 percent non-agricultural loan recovery.

Stating that the Bank was working in tandem with the Chief Minister's pro-farmer initiatives, he said that meritorious children of the Bank employees who scored 90 percent plus marks in SSLC and PUC were presented Pratibha Puraskar. He further said that the Bank recorded a net profit of Rs. 3.15 crore in 2015-16 and Rs. 3.25 core in 2016-17.

Explaining the new initiatives of the Bank, Chandrashekar said that the Bank had distributed RuPay debit cards to farmers and an ATM has been installed at the Bank's Head office in Nehru Circle on Ashoka Road.

Also, four new branches — two in Mysuru city and one each at Saragur in H.D. Kote taluk and Talakad in T. Narasipur taluk will be opened this year, he added.

DC asks for proposal to build wall around closed stone quarries

DC D. Randeep chairing a meeting of the Task Force Committee on stone quarrying at his office yesterday.

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (PM&DM)- Deputy Commissioner (DC) D. Randeep has directed Mines and Geology Department officials to submit a proposal on constructing a safety wall around closed stone quarries. Chairing a meeting of the Task Force Committee on stone quarrying at his office here on Tuesday, the DC said that the Department should conduct a survey on open quarries and submit a report on building wall as a safety measure.

Mines and Geology Department's senior Geologist Somashekar informed the meeting that stone quarrying was going on at 20 quarries across the district.

The meeting approved stone quarrying at six acres of patta land coming under Doddakereyur village Survey No. 141, 141/2, 142/2 and 84/3 in H.D. Kote taluk, at 1 acre of patta land coming under Nijaganahalli Sy. No. 29/1 in K.R. Nagar taluk and limestone quarrying at patta land coming under Gopalapura Sy. No. 59 in Jayapura Hobli of the taluk.

The DC also directed to place the proposal seeking permission for setting up M-sand and stone crusher unit in 19.34 acre coming under Sy. No. 121 of Hasuvina Karal village of Haranahalli hobli in Periyapatna taluk, at the next meeting. Officials of the Mines and Geology Department attended the meeting.

Legislative Council by-poll on Aug. 31

New Delhi, Aug. 10- The Election Commission has decided to hold a by-election to the Karnataka Legislative Council by Members of Legislative Assembly on Aug. 31.

The poll is being held to fill up a casual vacancy in the State Legislative Council of Karnataka occurred following the death of Vimala Gowda, a sitting member, on Apr. 17.

Vimala Gowda (63), BJP MLC, passed away in Bengaluru. The term of office of Vimala Gowda was till June 17 next year.

The notifications for the by-polls will be issued on Aug. 14, while the last date for filing nominations is Aug. 21. Scrutiny will be taken up on Aug. 22 and the last date for withdrawal of nomination will be Aug. 24.

The polling will be held between 9 am and 4 pm on Aug. 31 and the counting of votes will be taken up at 5 pm following which the results will be announced.

Mandya gets new DC

Mandya, Aug.10- IAS Officer **N. Manjushri** *(in pic.)* has been appointed as the new Deputy Commissioner (DC) of Mandya.

She replaces S. Ziyaullah who has been transferred and posted as Belagavi DC.

The new DC N. Manjushri had earlier served at Bengaluru and Chitradurga as the ZP CEO.

Jayaram is new PSI of Suntikoppa Police Station

Madikeri, Aug.10- **S.N. Jayaram** *(in pic.)* has taken charge as the new PSI of Suntikoppa Police Station.

S.N. Jayaram replaces H.S. Bhojappa, who has been transferred to Madikeri Rural Police Station. Jayaram had earlier served at Ponnampet.

Lokayukta Police to receive complaints

Mysuru, Aug. 10- Lokayukta Police will receive complaints from Aug. 16 to 26 between 11 am and 1 pm at various taluk centres, said Lokayukta SP J.K. Rashmi in a press release.

SCHEDULE	
Aug.16	Chamundi Guest House, JLB Road, Mysuru
Aug.17	Mysuru Taluk Office
Aug.18	T. Narasipur Taluk Office
Aug.19	PWD Guest House, H.D. Kote
Aug.21	PWD Guest House, Periyapatna
Aug.22	PWD Guest House, Hunsur
Aug.23	Taluk Office, Nanjangud
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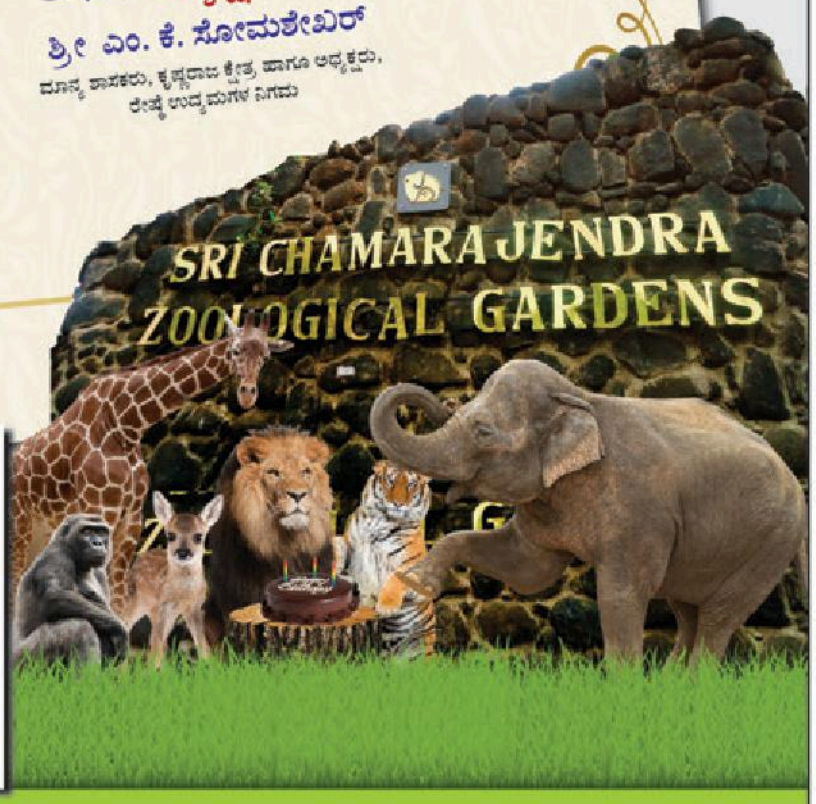

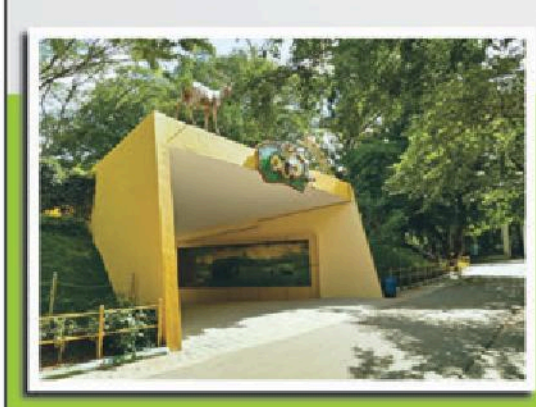

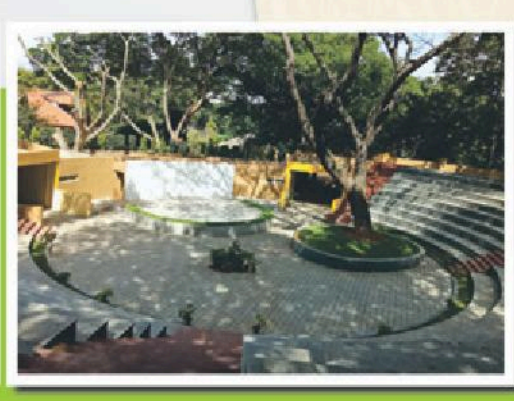

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"ದೇಶದ ಕಾಡು, ವನ್ಯಜೀವಿ, ನದಿಗಳು ಸೇರಿ ಪರಿಸರ ಉಳಿಸಿ ಬೆಳೆಸುವುದು."
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Decoding Mythology

Dr. Devdutt Pattanaik - Author, Speaker, Illustrator, Mythologist

Atheist and secular mythologies

Many people believe that mythology ceased to be relevant after the arrival of science, and the resulting rise of atheism. A new tool arose to distinguish between truth and false narratives — measurement, not doctrine.

Monotheistic religions staked sole claim to the truth in the 19th century, but then science, with its atheistic foundations, usurped this position, shoving monotheistic religions into the realm of mythology, an idea that makes radicals bristle even today. The fact is that neither the single God of monotheists, nor the many Gods of polytheists, nor ideas like soul or heaven, can ever be measured, and so will never be rooted in credible verifiable evidence.

For now, there was a new religion in town, science. Followers intensely believe that science, and its daughter, technology, will solve humanity's woes, and make the world a better place. This is atheist mythology, a mythology without God or the supernatural, but a mythology nevertheless, for it is rooted in assumptions, beliefs and articles of faith, to cope with humanity's cravings and insecurities. Secularism, that all Gods are equal, cleverly negates all religious world views and demands humans collaborate with each other together using measurable data and reason, rather than faith and tradition. It favours atheist myths such as property, wealth, rights and identities. It replaces God with State, and faith with argumentation.

The greatest secular myth is the idea of property. That a piece of land belongs to a person or a tribe. This is established through a registration process. Who is the registration authority – the State, and before that, the king. And what happens when you oppose the State or the King? You are jailed or killed or exiled. In other words, force, and clever arguments, are used to create 'property'. If there was no force propping up State, there would be no law and registration process that establishes property.

How must property, or wealth, be divided? Capitalists will say that it should be given to the man who came up with idea, who generated value. Communists will say it should be given to the workers whose labour generates the wealth. To bypass the increasingly powerful communists, capitalists are currently funding innovations such as robots and artificial intelligence, so that they do not have to deal with workers, their unions or their moral rights.

Human rights is yet another secular myth. It establishes a combat zone between those who have wealth and power and privileges and those who do not. It transforms everyone with power and property into a villain, and corners them into 'being good' and 'doing the right' thing. Anyone who opposes a human rights campaigner, becomes a fascist, hence evil and corrupt, just as those who opposed Christian missionaries in colonial times was a heathen, an infidel, a barbarian, and rather patronisingly, a soul that needed saving.

If the word 'myth' was once hurled as an insult at polytheists who believed in many Gods who regulated the world, it is now being also hurled at monotheists who once dominated the world with their one God. But the atheists who believe in no God, and mock the rest as believing in fairy tales, and are convinced theirs is on ontological reality outside fairy tales, are now trapped in secular myths themselves: **Technology is the new Jesus that will save the world, Human Rights is the Angel who will crush the false Gods.**

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Birth Centenary Celebrations of
Chitrakala Nipuna Sangita Vidwan R. Seetaram

Vid. R. Seetaram

Kacheri by Vid. Seetaram at Ananya on May 25, 2000 at the age of 82.

As part of the Birth Centenary Celebrations of Chitrakala Nipuna Vid. R. Seetaram of *Mysore Brothers*-fame (July 2017 - July 2018), a paintings exhibition has been organised on Aug. 12 and a music concert on Aug. 19 at Sri Prasanna Venkataramana Swamy temple, Old Bandikeri Road, K.R. Mohalla.

The painting expo will be open for public from 11 am onwards on Aug. 12. Mysore Art Gallery President and sculptor L. Shivalingappa will formally inaugurate the expo at 4 pm.

On Aug. 19 (Saturday), **Vidu. Dr. Sukanya Prabhakar** and party will present a music concert at 6 pm as part of the centenary of the unique 'artist musician and musician artiste.'

Profile: Chitrakala Nipuna Sangita Vidwan Sitaram, a multi-faceted legendary musician-cum-artist was born on July 8, 1918. He was initiated into music by his mother Vidu. Varalakshmi and grew up listening to Veene Seshanna along with Primary School classmate Swara Murthy, his grandson.

Later trained by Asthan Vidwans, Veene Shivaramiah and A.S. Shivarudrappa, he was inspired and encouraged by the stalwarts in the field of music by Mysore Vasudevacharya, Tiger Varadachar, Arikudi Ramanuja Iyengar and in art by Tankasale, Y.S. Raju, Keshaviah, Sculpture by German instructor Mr. Doring and above all with an innate passion for Music as well as Art, influenced in childhood by art and artists of Royal Mysore Palace.

With the inaugural concert in Dr. M.V. Gopalaswamy's Radio at Vontikoppal, Mysore, in 1937 and then onwards in Radio Akashavani, he travelled widely along the length and breadth of the country, giving concerts as well as paintings show. He carved a special place for himself by not only excelling in both the fields but by bringing the Fine Arts together as music reflected in many of his paintings and winning record-breaking seven times first prizes in Mysore Dasara Exhibitions, won Lalitakala Academy Award in 1994 and was honoured with many awards such as MTV Acharya Award, Gayana Samaja Best Musician of the Year and 'Kalajyothi' from Nadajyothi Sri Thyagaraja Swamy Bhajan Sabha etc. in both the fields. His paintings, especially that of Jagadguru Shankaracharya, Sadguru Thyagaraja, Trimurthys, portraits, landscapes and compositions, etc. not only adorned the cover pages of many popular magazines such as *Sudha, Karmaveera, Utthana,* they have also been presented to Shringeri Jagadguru, Vid. Karikudi Veene Shambhashiva Iyer, Vid. Mysore Chowdiah, Vidu. Gangubai Hangal and many admirers. With his kacheri at Ananya on May 25, 2000, he scaled new heights at the age of 82 years and in art, created historic pencil sketches in Srirangapatna during his morning-evening walks!

His paintings adorn Rashtrapathi Bhavan, Jaganmohan Palace and many places, both in the country and abroad. His unique collection of rare Varnas and Kritis since his childhood, which he wrote down in his beautiful manuscript for the future generations, will be dedicated to the coming generations.

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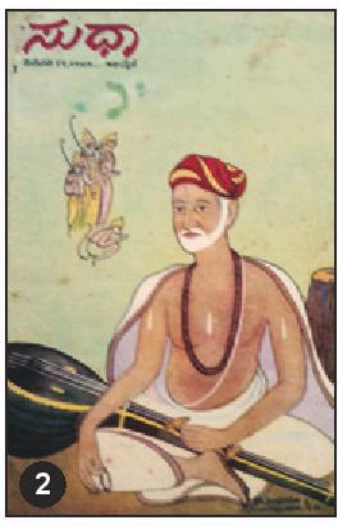
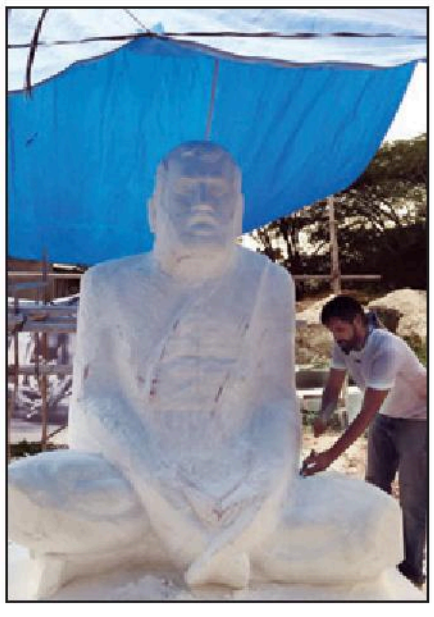
FROM LEFT: ***Mysore Brothers — Mahamahopadhyaya Dr. R. Sathyanarayana, R. Seetaram, eldest brother R. Chandrashekharaiah, youngest of them Prof. R. Vishveshwaran — with their mother Varalakshmi Ramaiah (in whose name and dedication they established the first premier music academy 'Sri Varalakshmi Academy of Fine Arts'). Their only sister R. Subbulakshmi, who was also a renowned musician and music guru, is not seen in this picture which was taken in front of their old home in Kashipati Agrahara on Chamaraja Double Road, known as 100 feet Road in those times.***



Pic.1. ***Vidu. Varalakshmi's portrait (oil painting) that has won first prize several times.*** *Pic. 2.* ***Thyagaraja's painting that was chosen for the cover page of*** *Sudha* ***magazine.*** *Pic. 3.* ***Vid. R. Seetaram's painting at Jaganmohan Palace in city.***

State Govt. approves installation of Sri Ramakrishna Paramahamsa Statue



Mysuru, Aug. 10 (RK&BCT)- The State Government has approved the installation of Sri Ramakrishna Paramahamsa statue at Ramakrishnanagar Circle that is developed by Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) on the lines of K.R. Circle. The Circle is located at the intersection of Vishwamanava Double Road and Chaduranga Road.

The Government Order approving the works was issued yesterday by Nagaraj, Under Secretary to Urban Development Department. MUDA has developed the Circle at a cost of Rs. 3.74 crore and an attractive dome has been constructed.

Speaking to *Star of Mysore*, MUDA Chairman D. Dhruvakumar said that it will be a life-size statue of the 19th century saint Ramakrishna Paramahamsa in a sitting posture and is being carved at a cost of Rs. 47.5 lakh.

At the Board Meeting held Oct. 1, 2015, the MUDA had decided to install the statue.

The statue of Sri Paramahamsa, which is 15 tonne and 10 ft. tall is being sculpted by Arun Yogiraj, who carved the recently-installed statute of Jayachamaraja Wadiyar. Yogiraj is sculpting the statue near Gautham Hostel in Saraswathipuram.

The statue is being carved using a white marble brought from Rajasthan. The marble was around 45 tonnes and once the statue is ready it will weigh 15-16 tonnes. It will be placed inside a pedestal resembling a lotus *(see pic)*.

"The cost was estimated and the proposal was sent to the State government and now it has got the approval from Urban Development Minister R. Roshan Baig," Dhruvakumar said.

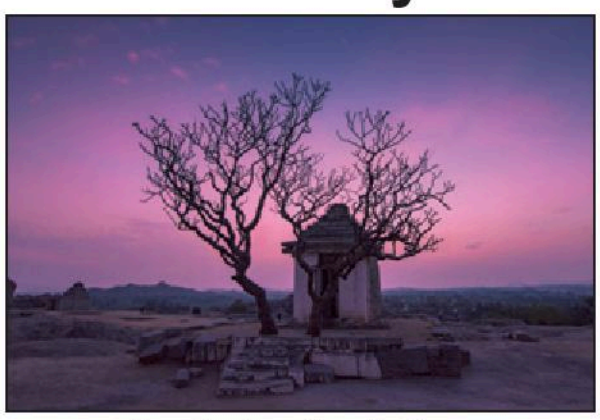
The statue is said to be the tallest statue of Sri Ramakrishna Paramahamsa in the country, according to sources. Arun Yogiraj is assisted by eight sculptors.

Dr. Asha Yathiraj is AIISH Director

Mysuru, Aug.10- Dr. Asha Yathiraj, Senior Professor of Audiology, recently assumed charge as the Director of All India Institute of Speech and Hearing (AIISH), following superannuation of Dr. S. R. Savithri.

Dr. Asha Yathiraj, an alumnus of the institute, plans to make AIISH a national service centre for those with communication disorders and increase the global visibility of the institute. A BSc. and MSc degree holder in Speech and Hearing, she has a Ph.D in Speech and Hearing. She underwent training in Aural Rehabilitation at CID, St. Louis, Missouri, USA. At present, she is also Professor of Audiology at AIISH.

Photography and Painting Expo in city from Aug. 12



Hemakoota captured by Arun.

Stripes-Soft Pastels by Manasa Putty.

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (VNS)- Artist couple Raghotham Putty and Lalitha R. Putty are well-known among the artist fraternity throughout the State and country. Every year, their family members organise an event in memory of the couple. This year, the family members have organised a three-day painting and photography exhibition of Manasa Putty, granddaughter of the artist couple and M.C. Arun, her husband.

The exhibition will be held at Suchitra Art Gallery in Kalamandira from Aug. 12 to 14. It will be inaugurated by *Padma Shri* Dr. J.A.K. Tareen, former Vice-Chancellor, Kashmir, Puducherry and B.S. Abdur Rahman Crescent Universities on Aug. 12 at 4 pm at a function to be held at Maneyangala in Kalamandira premises. The expo will be open from 10 am to 7.30 pm on Aug. 13 and 14.

M.C. Arun and Manasa Putty

The function will be presided by Madhuri Thathachari, Managing Trustee, Bhramara Trust, Mysuru. H. Chennappa, Assistant Director, Department of Kannada and Culture, will be present.

Manasa Putty is currently working as an art teacher at Sharada Ganapathi Vidya Kendra at Mudipu in Mangaluru and M.C. Arun is a software engineer with a private firm. Having married a couple years back, both Manasa and Arun have been travelling across the country to capture the picturesque view on canvas as well as in camera. This is their first exhibition together as a couple.

Panache Designer show this weekend

Panache, the much in-demand fashion exhibition is back on Aug. 12 and 13 from 10.30 am to 8.30 pm at *Hotel Southern Star* (Regaalis) on Vinoba Road in city.

Pushpak Vimaan by Shavani from Pune will be there with their quintessential textiles and Bespoke Stylists will offer completely personalized one of a kind gowns and suits.

Shreyaa Banerjee from Kolkata says her focus is on pret collections with western silhouettes incorporating Indian influences to mirror the preferences of a younger generation.

Panache from Indore will bring some fresh off the runway styles. Saira from Madras, Maharani from Chennai and Ahimsa Handlooms from Assam will bring in some exclusive Handloom collections.

Supporting weavers who need help in accessing new markets and customers, so many of our crafts are dying and it would make a big difference if everyone did their bit to support our centuries old talent, says organisers Nishat Mohsin and Misba Umrean.

Loretta from Kerala has vast and intricate collection, preserving India's jewellery heritage in her designs, with gorgeous ethnic antique jewellery, which will surely turn into heirlooms.

Boby's from Assam, Golden Weaves from Delhi, Shades by Sushma, bring in some desi wear!

Reprising this season with a riveting new festive collection will be Labellaz from Mumbai, Design & Stylez from Chandigarh, Singh & Kaur, Simran from Mumbai, Sanrachna, Tia from Mumbai, giving customers a first look at their Festive collections ! Also, Boovenhully from Coorg will bring some fresh home-made products.

New entry gates to Palace to be operational from Aug. 17

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (MTY&BCT)- In a tourist-friendly initiative, the District Administration and the Mysore Palace Board has decided to set up two more gates to facilitate the entry of tourists. Till now, all tourists had to enter the Palace through Varaha Gate after buying tickets at the counter there.

The new gates that will be opened for tourist entry are Amba Vilas Gate 1 and Gate 2 near the CADA (Command Area Development Authority - Cauvery) on the Purandara Dasa Road and the Jayarama-Balarama Gate near the Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple.

Speaking to *Star of Mysore*, Deputy Director of Palace Board T.S. Subramanya said that the new gates will be operational from Aug. 17. "Till now, only the Varaha Gate was open and this had led to a lot of rush. Also, tourists who come to city head straight to Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple to enter the Palace. As the gates are closed, this would be misused by autorickshaws and tongawallas who would take the tourists to Varaha Gate in a round-about route via D. Devaraja Urs Road and Sayyaji Rao Road," he said.

New ticket counters will be set up near the gates that will be open and tourists can make use of the facility from Aug. 17, he said.

Mysuru District in-Charge Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa will inaugurate the ticket counters on Aug. 17 at 11.30 am when he will inaugurate a 360-degree website of the Palace, he said.

17 companies spend over Rs. 44 cr. under CSR initiative

Mysuru, Aug. 10- Around 17 companies in the district have spent Rs. 44.18 crore under the Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activity in the last financial year. Among the companies, Infosys has spent the highest, contributing Rs. 25.85 crore.

DC D. Randeep held a review meeting of CSR activities with the officials and corporate representatives at his office this morning during which the works related to the development of lakes by various companies were discussed along with other activities. Currently, the works on rejuvenating Bommanahalli Lake has been taken up by RBI, Tavarekere, Devi Kere, Kempaiahna Kere and Thippaiahna Kere jointly by CII and Automotive Axels. The works on Thippaiahna Kere has been taken up at a cost of Rs. 32 lakh. They have also decided to increase water storage by around 25,000 litres. Meanwhile, the works at Bommanahalli Lake, taken up by RBI, is in full flow with completion of nearly 80 percent of works at a cost of Rs. 30 lakh.

DC Randeep has also suggested for the construction of a steel bridge for which additional funds have been sought. They have planned to develop the lake similar to that of an island.

Later, the officials also discussed various other initiatives taken up under the CSR activities in Mysuru.

Heavy Downpour

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Even on Jodi Thenginamara Road in Bannimantap, the rain water had turned into a pond. Due to unscientific planning instead of the rainwater draining into the nearby drains, it was flowing on the road that always has a heavy traffic of lorries. This also caused a lot of problems to the vehicle users.

JAMBOO SAVARI ROUTE

The much-touted Raja Marga paved with concrete, on the *Jamboo Savari* route in Bannimantap, is also unscientifically built, is what was exposed due to heavy rains this time. Instead of scientifically constructing shoulder drains, the authorities concerned have badly botched it up, resulting in water logging on this prestigious road. The footpaths had been dug for laying cables and pipelines and this resulted in overflowing of mud along the road.

ROAD USERS CURSE

The pool of rainwater was causing problems to the pedestrians and even two-wheeler riders on Raja Marga. The footpaths here, occupied by street vendors, forced the people to walk on the roads. Thus, every time a four-wheeler passed by hitting the deep trenches water would splash on them. They were heard cursing the Traffic Police and the Corporation authorities.

Problems galore this morning: The low-lying areas in Ghousianagar, Shantinagar and Beedi colony in the east of Mysuru all had to suffer a lot, as water had gushed into houses and the roads were lying in pool of water, this morning.

A few of the two-wheelers parked outside were found floating and washed away. The schoolchildren had a tough time negotiating the water-logged roads to reach their schools.

The roads in Paduvarahalli (Vinayakanagar), near Mathru Mandali (between Samudaya Bhavan) were water-logged. Many areas suffered power cuts and it returned only around 11.30 pm.

Even Amritha Layout, opposite Narayana Hrudalaya, where there are houses built under NURM scheme, was completely water logged.

The Abyaya teams with gangmen from the MCC and accompanied by Zonal officers and engineers were found clearing many roads in Shantinagar, Ghousianagar and Beedi Colony this morning.

City Corporators on study tour in Hubballi, Ballari

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (RK&BCT)- A team of 15 Corporators, representing Mysuru City Corporation (MCC), are on a tour to study other Corporations. They have left the city on Aug. 8 along with Govindappa, a development officer.

The Corporators are on a tour to three City Corporations — Hubballi-Dharwad, Vijayapura and Ballari — to witness the best practices followed there and share the best works done by them to improve the civic amenities in Mysuru. Sources told *Star of Mysore* that the Corporators will discuss administrative as well as financial matters. Issues like yearly budget planning and allocation, maintenance of slaughter houses, cleanliness, waste segregation and disposal are on the agenda.

The MCC has released Rs. 1.15 lakh for the trip and has provided food and accommodation allowance too. Apart from visiting the Corporations, the Corporators will also see the historic tourist sites including Vijayapura and Hampi.

The Corporators include M. Shivanna, Snake Shyam, Ramani, Kempanna, Shivakumar, B.V. Manjunath, Channappa, M.B. Jagadeesh, Balu, Shankar, Purushotham, Sunil and others.

They boarded a special air-conditioned mini bus on Aug. 8 and headed straight to Hubballi-Dharwad Municipal Corporation (HDMC) where they held a meeting with Corporators there. The meeting was also attended by MCC Commissioner G. Jagadeesha, who happened to be in Hubballi.

Corporators at HDMC gave a power-point presentation of the revenue, expenditure and waste disposal. At the meeting, issues like people-friendly measures, including regular contact with people, transparency in functioning, and installation of a helpline to address grievances, were necessary to win public confidence and provide better services to citizens were discussed.

Corporator Shivanna told their counterparts in Vijayapura that most of the Corporators from Mysuru leave their homes at 6 am to supervise cleaning and other Ward activities. "We visit the Wards, monitor cleaning and other works, keep record of employees, and interact with residents to address their grievances. This is what is expected from elected representatives," Shivakumar told them.

Narrating the best practices followed by MCC, Shivakumar said that one of the reasons why Mysuru had in the past got the Cleanest City Award was because of a good waste management system. He advised the administration to remove slums and rehabilitate residents in multi-storey buildings which require limited space.

This morning, the Corporators were scheduled to visit Ballari and Hampi. They will leave Hampi in the evening and arrive in Mysuru tomorrow.

Committee decides to recommend removal of "B Kharab" classification

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"All the documents and maps of the area along with supporting documents have been submitted to MUDA to ease the deadlock and for a suitable decision," Dr. Mahesh said.

The meeting was held in Bengaluru as some of the Revenue Department officers were not able to attend the meeting in Mysuru. Additional DC T. Yogesh, Deputy Secretary, Revenue Department (Land Allotment), Consultant, Revenue Department, Representative of Legal Department, Legal Advisor, DC Office, Tahsildar T. Ramesh Babu and others participated in the meeting.

Following continuous agitations by people of the localities coming under the two survey numbers, the first meeting was held on July 6 in Bengaluru at the Revenue Department. The Principal Secretary had formed a committee to examine the writ petitions and find a solution.

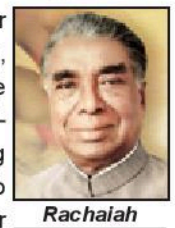
The second meeting was held on July 17 at the Court Hall of the DC Office in Mysuru. The Principal Secretary, Revenue Department Dr E.V. Ramana Reddy had directed the DC to submit a report within a month.

The lands had been purchased by over 25,000 people from MUDA in 1970s. However, they are yet to get land records, in spite of them being legal owners of the land. Hence, everything has come to a standstill as they are neither able to sell their houses nor build extra floors for the past three years. A few residents and owners of lands had approached the court for relief.

CM performs bhoomi puja for B. Rachaiah Memorial

'I am frequenting Chamarajanagar to do away with jinx tag'

Chief Minister Siddharamaiah, addressing the gathering after performing *guddali puja* to former Minister B. Rachaiah Memorial at Chirashanthidhama, Alur in the taluk, said that Rachaiah played a key role in his (Siddharamaiah) growth as a politician.



Rachaiah

He recalled that it was the late Minister who was instrumental in making him a Minister in the Ramakrishna Hegde Cabinet in the eighties.

Chamarajanagar, Aug. 10 (SS&DM)- Asserting that he was visiting Chamarajanagar frequently to do away with the jinx tag attached to the town (that the CMs will lose power if they visited the town), Chief Minister Siddharamaiah has said that he was doing so to put an end to further debates in this regard.

Speaking to press persons after landing at the helipad near the town this morning, the CM, who was to inaugurate a slew of works, said the Congress Government had taken up development works on a war-footing.

Maintaining that the Government had not taken any stand on a separate Veerashaiva-Lingayat-religion issue, the Chief Minister dismissed allegations that he had raked up the issue with polls round the corner.

Pointing out that the Veerashaiva Mahasabha had petitioned him seeking separate religion status at his (CM) felicitation function, Siddharamaiah said he had only asked Mate Mahadevi, Shyamanur Shivashankarappa and other leaders of the community to come up with a united stand on the issue.

Referring to yesterday's decision to release water, the CM said water is being released from Kabini dam from today for filling up lakes and other water bodies.

Cabinet expansion,

Replying to a question on Cabinet expansion, the CM just said it will be done at an appropriate time.

Claiming that the State had been rendered injustice in Railway projects, the CM said he would not like to comment on BJP leader V. Sreenivasa Prasad's remarks against Minister D.K. Shivakumar.

The CM, who arrived at the helipad near the Government Medical College at Uttuvalli in the outskirts of the town, along with PWD Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa, was welcomed by Chamarajanagar District in-charge Minister U.T. Khader, MP R. Dhruvanarayan, MLAs Puttarangashetty, Jayanna and R. Narendra, MLC R. Dharmasena, ZP President M. Ramachandra, in-charge DC Harish Kumar, SP Dharmendra Kumar Meena and other officials.

Kerala Tourism showcased in city

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (SP&US)- To promote tourism and create awareness among people of city on various tourist spots in Kerala, the Department of Tourism, Government of Kerala, had organised a press meet at J.P. Fortune Palace in Nazarbad here this morning.

Briefing the press persons, Kerala Tourism Information Officer Shine said that similar programmes have been held at Coimbatore, Amritsar, Lucknow, Kanpur, Bhopal, Vadodara, Ahmedabad, Nagpur and other places. He added that the opening of a new airport at Kannur would provide easy access for tourists from Karnataka.

He further said that other than an exposure to traditional dances of Kerala, the State also has ample facilities for trekking, paragliding, river rafting and other adventure sports. He added that enough publicity has been made through TV and social media to attract foreign tourists.

Kathakali School of Society gave a demo of the traditional arts of Kerala — Kathakali, Mohiniyattam, Mayurinruthyam, Theyam and Kalari. A documentary of all the tourist spots in Kerala was also screened on the occasion.

City politician accused of cheating woman

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (RK&KS)- A Congress leader in city has been accused of cheating a woman of Rs. 10 lakh, a loan that was sanctioned through Prime Minister Mudra Scheme. The woman has lodged a complaint with K.R. Police Station in this regard.

The politician has been identified as Basavaraja Nayak, General Secretary of Mysuru Rural District Congress Committee and the cheated woman has been identified as Kavitha Selvam, a resident of Srirampura.

Basavaraja, who had got Rs. 10 lakh sanctioned through Prime Minister Mudra Scheme in the name of Kavitha Dress Makers, had not informed Kavitha its owner, but had allegedly opened an account at Punjab National Bank in her name with the help of a bank official and had deposited the money in that account. He later withdrew the money and was not paying the installment.

Kavitha came to know that she had an account in Punjab National Bank only after she received a notice from the bank asking her to pay the installments for the loan. Shocked at being cheated, Kavitha lodged a complaint against Basavaraja and the bank official at K.R. Police Station.

Meanwhile, K.R. Inspector Prakash, told Star of Mysore this morning that the woman had lodged a complaint against Basavaraja two days ago, following which the Police had collected information from the bank.

He further said that yesterday, Kavitha came to the Police Station and gave a statement saying that Basavaraja had returned the full amount and they had reached a compromise. "Hence, we have not registered a case against Basavaraja Nayak," the Inspector said.

Obituary

P.K. Sharadamma

Periyapatna, Aug. 10- P.K. Sharadamma (76), wife of former Agro Corporation Chairman P.K. Shivappa and a resident of the town, passed away yesterday at a private hospital in Mysuru following brief illness.

She leaves behind her husband, two sons, a daughter and a host of relatives and friends. Last rites were performed at her farm in Periyapatna this afternoon.

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Three Concerts in a row at Nadabrahma

Mysuru, Aug.10-Nadabrahma Sangita Sabha has organised three Karnatak classical music concerts this weekend at Sangita Kalanidhi Mysore Vasudevacharya Bhavana on JLB Road here.

On Aug.11 (Friday) at 6 pm,

as part of V. Raman Memorial Concert of Raman Boards, **Aishwarya Vidya Raghunathan,** the young and dynamic artiste, who is making to top level at a very fast pace, will be singing. She will be accompanied by Senior artistes **Nalina Mohan** on violin and **B.C.Manjunath** on mridanga.

Aishwarya, an accomplished Karnatak music vocalist, is among the foremost and popular young performing classical musicians in India. Hailing from a family of music connoisseurs, Aishwarya was initiated into the world of music at the age of three. Her first full-fledged concert was at the age of thirteen. Since then, she has travelled widely in India and abroad enthralling listeners.

Aishwarya has the honour of being the disciple of musical stalwarts like Sangita Kalaacharya Seethalakshmi Venkatesan, Padma Bhushan P. S. Narayanaswamy and Sangeetha Kalasagaram Vegavahini Vijayaraghavan, thus being an upholder of the Semmangudi bani and the Veena Dhanammal bani.

An "A" graded artiste of All India Radio and Doordarshan, Aishwarya holds a B.E. degree in Biotechnology from PES Institute of Technology, Bangalore.

The endowment programme is sponsored by Sudha Raman and Aroon Raman.

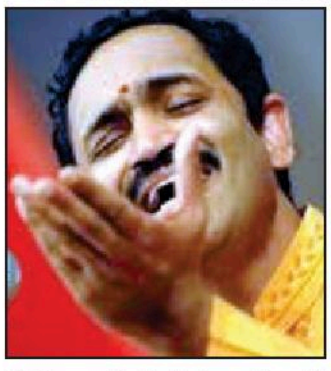
On Aug. 12 (Saturday) at 6 pm, Dr. K. Srikantaiah Memorial Concert will be presented by Veteran **Dr. Suma Sudheendra** on veena accompanied by seasoned artistes **J.K. Sridhar** on violin, **Anoor Ananthakrishna Sharma** on mridanga and **S.N. Narayana Murthy** on ghata. The concert is sponsored by Dr.K.S. Chandrashekar.

Suma Sudheendra is one of the acclaimed veena artistes of the country today. Trained under Veena Maestros Raja Rao and Chitti Babu, she has blended into her music the classical conservatism at the dynamic spirit of innovations. She has been conferred Ganakala Shree title by Karnataka Gana Kala Parishat.

Suma's biggest contribution to the music world is her innovation *'Tarangini Veena'* which is a small version of Saraswati Veena, very compact and light, to be comfortably portable. Her organisation Tarangini Arts Foundation conducts cultural festivals every year to promote the cause of Indian classical music apart from imparting lessons in veena and classical music. She received Rajyotsava Award from Karnataka Government in 2001.

She started learning vocal at the age of five and veena at eight. Secured first rank in Vidvat and went to Madras to learn veena from Dr. Chitti Babu. She has played jugalbandis with almost all the leading artistes of North India like Vishwa Mohan Bhatt and Shahid Parvez. She has her own band for the last 25 years called 'Megha', where they play Fusion, Karnatak and Jazz. Suma has released about 25 music albums

On Aug.13 (Sunday) at



5.30 pm, Pattabhiram Pandit will be giving a vocal concert with **V.V.S.Murari** on violin and **N. Arul** on mridanga. It is an endowment programme in memory of Dr.K.V. Manohar sponsored by Dr. Uma and Dr. K.V. Ravishankar.

Pattabhiram initially learnt from his mother Nagarathnamma and then from Vallabham Kalyanasundaram (who is the sister of Vageyyakara Mayuram Vishwanatha Sastri). He is an IT professional working in a multinational company in Bengaluru.

New team for Inner Wheel Mysore Central

The new team of Inner Wheel Club of Mysore Central for the year 2017-18 was installed at a programme organised at a private hotel in city recently. Seen in the picture are District Chairman Jayashree Urs, PDC Chandrika Raghu (Installing Officer), Outgoing President Chandrika Sudhir, President Sowmya Dinesh, Secretary Joshila Jayaprakash, Treasurer Priya Tantri, Joint Secretary Poornima Vishwanath, ISO Sumitha Jain, Editor Anju Jayakumar, Literacy Co-ordinator Lakshmi Arun, Vice-President Mala Kishan Pal and Members of Inner Wheel Club of Mysore Central.

Expert talk on 'Facebook Capitalism,' 'Business Intelligence' at MYRA

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (KS) - MYRA School of Business had organised a lecture programme at its premises in Yelwal recently.

The lecture titled *'Facebook Capitalism: Straddling between ideals and frailties of the human condition'* was delivered by Dr. Yasmin Ibrahim, Reader in International Business and Communications, Queen Mary University of London School of Business and Management and a Visiting Professor to MYRA.

Known as a consummate researcher, Dr. Yasmin, in her talk, explored the notion of 'Facebook Capitalism' where there is pervasive production of value through human agency luring us into a world of communion, empowerment and self-representation.

Dr.Yasmin argued that it is this 'Facebook Capitalism' while leveraging on the lure of the ideals, extracts value through the commodification of human as data, audiences and as

Dr. Yasmin

Dr. Raghav Rao

content creators on the Web.

She said that these human conditions where we see ourselves mirrored and captured through screen cultures and the insatiable appetite to consume ourselves and others on the screen have become an integral part of our vulnerability in post modernity; One which works for the servitude of a networked, self-commodifying, data-driven and value-based Facebook Capitalism.

Tech Talk on 'Business Intelligence & Analytics'

The 6th EnVision Tech Talk titled 'Business Intelligence & Business Analytics' was also held at MYRA recently.

The talk was delivered by Dr. H. Raghav Rao, AT&T Distinguished Chair in Infrastructure Assurance and Security with the University of Texas at San Antonio and a Visiting Faculty at MYRA.

The crux of Dr. Rao's talk centred on a fact that the 21st century was being regarded as the age of data, information overload and in search of insights. It is estimated that the world would soon reach more than 35 zettabytes of data. Big data is on top of the mind for virtually every industry — from healthcare to financial services to retail and the appetite for data and insights is ever-increasing with time.

Dr. Rao covered a gamut of concepts and tools of Business Intelligence and provided an overview of the facets of the field with plenty of examples to illustrate. The talk also outlined the challenges of machine learning and modelling tools.

AGM of Mysore Bank Colony Residents Assn.

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (KS)- The Mysore Bank Colony Residents Cultural and Welfare Association of SBM Colony, Sriramapura, celebrated its 23rd anniversary along with its Annual General Body Meeting (AGM) recently.

More than 100 members were present to review the progress made in the development of the Colony by following up several developmental works with the Government agencies concerned and also by value addition to the environmental development.

Tree planting marked cleanliness drive in collaboration with H.V.Rajeev Sneha Balaga.

The meeting started with invocation by Bhagwan. K.V. Ramanath, Secretary, read out the report on all the activities executed by the Association during the year 2016-17. The audit report was read out by Treasurer Chandrasekhar Udupa.

The meeting was followed by prize distribution to winners of sports competition conducted by the Association.

A traffic awareness programme was conducted by Mysore Traffic Wardens in the form of a video presentation about various traffic accidents recorded through CCTVs.

Venkatakrishna Bhat, Joint Secretary, compered the programme. Committee Members Ganeshamurthy, Umakanth, Sumathi, Arunkumar Shettar, H.R. Prakash, Raghuram and others were present.

Pro Kabaddi 2017

Bulls get back to winning ways

Nagpur, Aug.10 - Bengaluru Bulls seemed to be getting their groove back in this year's Pro Kabaddi Season 5 game at Nagpur's Mankapur Indoor Stadium as they beat Bengal Warriors 31-25, yesterday. After back-to-back defeats and a tie, they were desperate to win and they did just that, upstaging the hitherto undefeated Warriors.

Rohit Kumar won the toss and chose his team's side of the mat. The in-form Maninder Singh opened for the Warriors with an empty raid. Rohit opened for the Bulls and his quick presence saw two defenders being asked to step out for crossing the line. This opened the scoreline and gave the Bulls two crisp points. The first do-or-die raid happened in the third minute with the Warriors' Vinod Kumar being unsuccessful. After this, a series of do-or-die raids ensued and by the 14th minute, the Bulls were facing an All-Out situation.

But Rohit showed his brilliance again to collect three quick points through a touch and super tackle. Another All-Out situation was averted by another super tackle, and the half ended 12-10 in favour of Bengaluru.

The second half started with Bengaluru's Ajay Kumar and Bengal's Jang Kun Lee's raid attempts that ended empty. Another All-Out situation was warded off by the Bulls through Harish Naik's two quick points but they eventually faced the inevitable in the 24th minute when Naik was tackled off the mat. However in the face of adversity, Ajay had other plans as he pulled off a superb super raid in the 27th minute and added 4 points to his team's tally to change the course of the game.

Just two minutes later, the Warriors were handed their first All-Out of the match and the scoreline read 24-18. After this 6-point lead, the Bulls went into complete defensive mode, showing intent only during do-or-die raids and ensuring they don't let the match slip through their fingers. The Warriors missed Maninder's heroics tonight as he spent more than 15 minutes out of court. The Bulls are now well and truly back into the reckoning.

But they don't have much time to celebrate and recuperate as they face Tamil Thalaivas in less than 24 hours.

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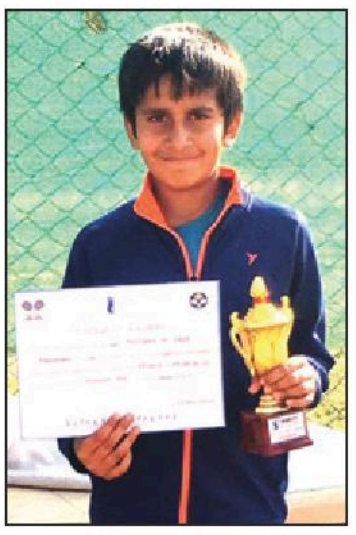
AITA U-10 Tennis Tournament

City's Mustafa Raja wins title



Bengaluru, Aug.10- Mysuru lad Mustafa Raja, a product of the R. Nagaraj's Tennis Centre and a fifth standard student of Excel Public School, Mysuru, won the Boys U-10 singles title in the Nakshtra Upscale Ant Academy AITA Tennis Tournament held at Bengaluru recently.

Mustafa Raja beat Sriniketh Kannan 8-1 in the final and clinched the title. In the semi-finals, he had scored a 6-4 win over Anantha Krishnan to move into the title round of the tournament.

Mysore Gravel Fest on Aug.13

Mysuru, Aug. 10- Automotive Sports Club of Mysuru will be conducting Mysore Gravel Fest at Lalitha Mahal Helipad ground on Aug. 13 (Sunday). The document verification will be held on Aug. 12 at Ursu Gymkhana Club at 4 pm. Entry fee is Rs. 2,500 and the event will be held only for the four wheelers.

The competitions will be held in Upto 1,100 cc, over 1,100 cc to 1,400 cc, 1,400 cc upto 1,600 cc, Indian Open Class and Unrestricted Class. The competitions will also be held in special categories like Ladies Open Class, SUV Class (hard top only) and Mysore Open Class. The fastest driver will be given a cash prize of Rs. One lakh. For details, contact Nagarjun on Mob: 76765 88884 or Abhiram on 94498 12575.

NTC-NR Cup AITA U-12 Tennis Tournament from Aug. 12

Mysuru, Aug.10- The Nagaraj Tennis Centre, Mysuru, will be conducting the NTC-NR Cup 2017 Championship Series AITA U-12 boys & girls tennis tournament 2017 at the SJCE Courts, in city from Aug. 12-14.

The direct-entry sign-in is on Aug. 11 (tomorrow) between 12 noon and 2 pm at the Nagaraj's Tennis Centre, SJCE complex, Mysuru. The main draw events start from Aug. 12. Entry fee is Rs.500 and players born on or after Jan.1, 2005 are eligible to participate. Interested players contact R. Nagaraj on Mob: 98455 40506.

Citizen convent students excel in wrestling

Mysuru, Aug. 10- Citizen Convent students took part in the District Level Wrestling conducted by Department of Public Instructions. The following are the students who have bagged prizes. The first prize winners will be taking part in the State Level Wrestling Competition to be held at Vijayapura soon.

Under 14: Mohammed Saif - 38 Kg - 1st Place, Mohammed Hussnain - 41 Kg - 1st Place, Yaseen Yansari - 54 Kg - 1st Place, Aden Mosin - 60 Kg - 2nd Place, Abdul Razak - 35 Kg - 3rd Place, Mohammed Usman - 49 Kg - 3rd Place, Mohammed Reeshan - 38 Kg - 3rd Place, Shoib Khan - 32 Kg - 3rd Place, Mohammed Luqman - 54 Kg - 3rd Place.

Under 17: Mohammed Ayan - 85 Kg - 1st Place, Aleemulla Sheriff-58 Kg- 2nd Place, Sharuk Pasha - 42Kg – 2nd Place, Shafath Ansari- 69 Kg – 2nd Place.

Prize winning wrestlers are seen with Founder Secretary/ Head Mistress Mahajaben, Physical Education Teacher Fazal Ansar.

Sri Lanka International Rating Chess Tournament

Thejkumar in lead after six rounds

Sri Lanka, Aug.10- IM M.S. Thejkumar along with Mysuru lad and former state champion Y.G. Vijayeendra are tied with 6 points each from six rounds and on the basis of the former's better tie-break scores is placed number one after the end of six rounds in the Sri Lanka Open International Rating Chess Championship 2017 at YMBA Hall, Kurnegala near Colombo, yesterday.

Thejkumar in the fourth round beat C.S. Kumarawadu of Sri Lanka and in the fifth round he defeated C.M. Lasitha Subash. In the sixth round, Thejkumar scored a well earned win over Ratnayake M. A. A. A. (Rating 1953) and shot into the lead.

Y.G. Vijayeendra had wins over Koggala W.S.T.N, Prabajith Asela and Tennakoon I.L.K. (all from Sri Lanka) in the fourth, fifth and sixth rounds to be placed second in the rankings with 6 points each.

Sri Lanka's Theekshana (5.5 points), Ratnayake (5 points) and Tennakon (5 points) are placed from third to fifth in the rankings.

MYSORE TRAIN TIMINGS

Train No.	Name	Dep.Mys	Arr.B'lore	DepB'lore	Arr.Mys
22818/22817	Mysore-Howrah Weekly Exp.	12.30 am (Mon)	03.00 am (Mon)	01.00 am (Sun)	03.45 am (Sun)
16217/16218	Mysore-Sainagar Shirdi Weekly Express	05.10 am (Mon)	07.55 am (Mon)	03.30 am (Thu)	06.00am (Thu)
56231/56232	Mysore-Bangalore Passenger	05.50 am	09.00 am	09.20 am	12.50 pm
17326/17325	Vishwa Manava Express (Hubballi-Mysuru-Hubballi Daily)	06.15 am	9.10 am	5.45 pm	8.40 pm
16215/16216	Chamundi Express	06.45 am	09.30 am	06.15 pm	09.05 pm
12578/12577	Mysore-Dharbanga Weekly Exp.	07.20 am (Sat)	09.55 am (Sat)	08.55 pm (Thu)	11.30pm(Thu)
16229/16230	Mysore-Varanasi Bi-weekly Exp.	07.20 am (Tue & Thu)	11.50 am (Varanasi) (Thu & Sat)	09.50 pm (Varanasi) (Thu & Sat)	02.50 am (Sun & Tue)
16023/16024	Mysore-Yesvantpur Malgudi Exp.	08.20 am	11.10 am	01.30 pm	04.15 pm
56281/56282	Chamarajnagar-Bangalore Passenger	08.45 am	12.00 noon	03.30 pm	06.35 pm
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12008/12007	Shatabdi-Express (except Wednesdays)	02.15 pm	04.15 pm	11.00 am	01.00 pm
16557/16558	Mysore-Bangalore Rajya Rani Express	02.30 pm	05.10 pm	10.30 am	01.15 pm
56237/56238	Mysore-Bangalore Passenger	02.45 pm	06.00 pm	07.00 pm	10.20 pm
16232/16231	Mysore-Mayiladuthurai Express	03.30 pm	06.30 pm	06.00 am	08.40 am
16535/16536	Mysore-Solapur Golgumbaz Exp.	04.00 pm	07.10 pm	08.05 am	11.00 am
56213/56214	Tirupati Fast Passenger	05.00 pm	08.15 pm	07.30 am	10.30 am
16236/16235	MysoreTuticorn Express	06.00 pm	09.00 pm	07.00 am	9.45 am
16210/16209	Mysore-AjmerMysore Express	06.30 pm (Tuesdays & Thursdays)	09.30 pm	02.45 am (Sundays & Tuesdays)	06.00 am
16592/16591	Mysore-Hubli Hampi Exp.	07.00 pm	09.50 pm	06.30 am	09.15 am
56234/56233	Mysore-Bangalore Passenger	07.10 pm	10.25 pm	05.00 am	08.30 am
22681/22682	Mysore-Chennai Weekly SF Exp	08.10 pm (Wed)	10.45 pm (Wed)	05.40am (Fri)	8.20am(Fri)
16022/16021	Cauvery Express (to Chennai)	08.30 pm	11.25 pm	04.10 am	06.50 am
56263/56264	Mysore-Bangalore Passenger	11.55 pm	04.00 am	11.55 pm	04.00 am

TOWARDS NANJANGUD /CHAMARAJNAGAR (Passengers)

		Dep.Mys	Arr. Ch'nagar	Dep Ch'nagar	Arr.Mys
56206/56205	Mysore-Nanjangud	09.00 am	09.50 am(N'gud)	10.15 am(N'gud)	11.10 am
56202/56281	Mysore-Chamarajanagar	05.00 am	06.40 am	06.55 am	08.45 am
56204/56203	Mysore-Chamarajanagar	07.20 am	09.10 am	10.40 am	12.25 pm
56214/56213	Tirupati-Chamarajanagar	10.30 am	12.30 pm	03.00 pm	04.45 pm
56210/56209	Mysore-Chamarajanagar	12.30 pm	02.15 pm	06.00pm	07.50 pm
56208/56207	Mysore-Chamarajanagar	02.50 pm	04.40 pm	04.55 pm	06.35 pm
56282/56201	Mysore-Chamarajanagar	06.45 pm	08.35 pm	08.50 pm	10.30 pm

TOWARDS HASSAN/ ARSIKERE

		Dep.Mys	Arr.A'kere	Dep A'kere	Arr.Mys
11036/11035	Mysore-Dadar Sharavathi Express	06.15 am (Sunday)	09.10 am	06.10 pm	09.40 pm (Friday)
56266/56265	Mysore-Arsikere Passenger	07.15 am	11.10 am	05.30 pm	9.25 pm
56270/56269	Mysore-Shimoga Town Passenger	10.20 am	01.45 pm	12.35 pm	04.30 pm
56216/56215	Mysore-Hassan-Yesvantpur Passenger	8.30 am	02.45 pm (Yesvantpur)	01.00 pm (Yesvantpur)	08.00 pm
56268/56267	Mysore-Arsikere Passenger	06.20 pm	10.30 pm	05.00 am	09.25 am
12781/12782	Mysore-Nizamuddin (New Delhi) Swarna Jayanthi Superfast Weekly Express	08.10 pm	11.15 pm (Friday)	01.35 am	04.55 am (Wed.)
17301/17302	Mysore-Dharwad Express	10.30 pm	01.40 am	03.05 am	07.00 am

		Dep.Mys	Arr. Talaguppa	Dep.Talaguppa	Arr.Mys
16206/16205	Mysore-Talaguppa Express	05.50 am	10.50 am	04.50 pm	10.15 pm
56276/56275	Mysore-Shimoga Passenger	01.10 pm	07.40 pm (Shimoga)	07.50 am (Shimoga)	02.30 pm
07301/06228	Mysore-Talaguppa Express	10.30 pm	07.15 am	08.15 pm	07.00 am

TOWARDS BANGALORE/ MANGALORE

		Dep.	Arr.
16523/17	MysoreKarwar/Kannur Express	11.30 pm (Mys.)	2.00 pm (Kar)
16524/18	Karwar/KannurMysore Express	02.40 pm (Kar)	5.15 am (Mys) 5.30 am leaves for Bangalore

[The train reaches Kannur at 11.35 am and departs at 4.30 pm]

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Forum demands CBI probe into KSOU marks card scam

Mysuru, Aug.10 (SP&NNN)- Save University of Mysore Forum has demanded the Centre to institute a CBI enquiry into the fake marks card racket in Karnataka State Open University (KSOU).

Addressing a press conference at Patrakartara Bhavan here yesterday, Forum President M.J. Suresh Gowda said that including the fake marks card and violation of UGC rules, there are several other irregularities that have occurred in KSOU. As a result, it has impacted the lives of lakhs of students in the University.

Besides, entering into MoUs with private institutions to run technical courses, certificates are being issued. Hence, the Government should immediately interfere and institute a high-level enquiry during the period of earlier Vice-Chancellors who are allegedly involved in the scams, he urged.

Three more get bail in KSOU marks card racket

Mysuru, Aug. 10- Three more persons, who had been arrested in the KSOU marks card racket, have been granted bail by the Court and they are KSOU Assistant Registrar Siddaraju, Venu and Parveen.

Earlier, Mysuru District Principle and Sessions Court had rejected the bail appeal. But the Third Additional District Court Judge K.M. Shankar has passed an order granting bail to four of the accused.

Complaints had been filed against a total of 11 persons. Ten persons had been arrested individually. They had been arrested by the CCB and Jayalakshmipuram Police. The second accused Basavaraju is absconding. In the first incidence, including Yashaswini four have been granted bail.

The Police had said that there were only 154 fake marks cards. But later, according to the investigations by the CCB and Jayalakshmipuram Police, it has been revealed that 1,332 fake marks cards have been printed.

VC returns from leave

Meanwhile, Vice-Chancellor Prof. Shivalingaiah, who had gone on leave, has returned and he, along with Registrar Chandrashekar, have gone to Bengaluru on the call of the Governor. A few senior officials have also accompanied them to discuss about the issues related to marks cards.

Rs. 500 crore worth scam in State Universities: But no probe

Bengaluru, Aug.10- "The Rs. 500 crore irregularities in the Universities in Karnataka, including Rs. 300 crore in Visvesvaraya Technological University (VTU), is one hundred percent true. I have talked about it and will not withdraw from this statement. However, the Higher Education Department does not have the power to investigate it," said Higher Education Minister Basavaraja Raya Reddy, expressing his helplessness.

He was talking to media persons at Vidhana Soudha here yesterday and said that he is still committed to what he had disclosed some time back. I had got the reports from all the 12 Universities in the State regarding the financial, educational and administrative issues since 2005 and that there were irregularities in all the Universities. "However, I know that these reports are gathering dust. The reason is, the law has not vested in me, the power to investigate but the Governor can take action against it if he wants, is all he said.

Already a one-man committee has given the report to the Governor regarding the Rs. 300 crore irregularities in VTU. Based on this report, Prof. Maheshwarappa, who was the VC, has been suspended. However, no action has been taken against him, he said. In Muddenahalli, without the permission from the State Government or the Cabinet approval, Rs. 250 crore worth buildings have been constructed. But, there are only 50 students studying there. Prima facie, it is found that a huge irregularity has occurred in the construction of buildings. Added to this, nearly Rs. 4.50 crore has been spent for the repair of the Vice-Chancellor's quarters. Nearly Rs. 20 crore worth computers are lying unused. Many such irregularities have been found, explained Reddy.

Declare money spent for tribal welfare, A.H. Vishwanath tells Government

World Tribal Day celebrated; call to establish Tribal University in Kodagu and Ch'nagar

Former Mysuru-Kodagu MP and JD(S) leader A.H. Vishwanath is seen addressing participants at the 23rd International Adivasi Day celebrations at Maharshi Valmiki Bhavan yesterday as others look on. Picture left shows a section of the participants.

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (RKB&BCT)- Former Mysuru-Kodagu Member of Parliament and JD(S) leader Adagooru H. Vishwanath sought to know how much the State Government has spent on the welfare of tribal people for community development in the last four years.

Addressing participants at the 23rd International Adivasi Day celebrations organised by Karnataka Adivasi Rakshana Parishat, Mysuru unit, at Maharshi Valmiki Bhavan yesterday, Vishwanath said that the Congress State Government has been claiming that it has earmarked Rs. 84,000 crore for development of SC/ST and tribal communities for the past four years.

"Instead of rattling out figures that make no sense, the Siddharamaiah Government should announce how much it has spent towards tribals and how many have benefited from the schemes. The Government's responsibility is not merely making announcements of schemes. It should also ensure proper implementation of the schemes," he said.

The former MP regretted that though the Government has claimed that it has spent thousands of crores of rupees, tribals and backward communities remained backward without any changes in their lifestyle and livelihood.

Vishwanath said that the tribal community has been facing problems with regard to lack of basic facilities, drinking water, medical facility, etc. "Forest Department is trying to relocate them from the forest region and the Government has failed to resolve their issues," he said. He urged the Government to construct Bhavans in the name of Birsa Munda, an Indian tribal freedom fighter.

"The Government had allotted Rs. 15 crore to develop Bhavans in five districts. But still, they have not been constructed. Birsa Munda was a great freedom fighter and the Government should publish a book on him," he demanded.

The Conference was organised to discuss the tribal issues and their social, economical and political status. Several decisions were taken to impress upon the Govt. to implement policies and programmes. Chief among them are celebration of World Tribal Day on Aug. 9 every year, institution of 'Adivasi Siri' Award to honour achievers from the community. The Conference also urged the Government to free the Western Ghats from the menace of Naxalism and establish multi-purpose Co-operative Societies for the welfare of tribals.

Construction of Adivasi Bhavans at District and Taluk levels and a separate commission to look into the welfare of tribals and nomads were also demanded in addition to the establishment of a special university in Chamarajanagar and Kodagu to comprehensively study tribal communities.

Prof K.M. Methri of Department of Tribal Studies, Hampi Kannada University, released the 2nd edition of *'Adivasi Usiru.'* Karnataka State Tribal Research Institute Director T.T. Basavanagouda and Parishat President M. Krishnaiah were present.

Two arrested for attempting rape on mother-daughter

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (SPN&KS)- Udayagiri Police have arrested two persons on charges of attempting to rape a woman and her daughter after dragging them to a park at Gayathripuram in city. The arrested have been identified as 27-year-old Suhail and 25-year-old Akmal of Gayathripuram.

On Aug. 8 evening, the woman aged about 40 years and her 18-year-old daughter were walking on the road, when Suhail and Akmal, who came on a bike teased them, resulting in the mother-daughter duo confronting them and taking them to task.

Angered over this, Suhail and Akmal, allegedly dragged them to a park on the main road and tried to sexually assault them.

As the mother and her daughter screamed for help, passersby and the public rushed to their rescue and the two accused fled from the spot.

Udayagiri Police, who rushed to the spot, registered a case based on the complaint given by the mother and based on the clues provided by the public, the Cops have arrested the accused.

It is learnt that the two accused have cases of robbery, extortion and attempt to murder, registered against them at Udayagiri, Devaraja and N.R. Police Stations in city.

Husband ends life as wife goes to jail in robbery case

Mysuru, Aug. 10 RK&KS)- A husband, who was depressed over his wife landing in jail in a robbery case, committed suicide by pouring petrol and setting himself on fire at Sharadadevinagar here on Aug. 7.

The deceased has been identified as Manjunath (55), a resident of 15th Cross in Sharadadevinagar.

It may be recalled that about four days ago, Kuvempunagar Police, who had registered a case of robbery in a house belonging to one Ravindra P. Rao at Ramakrishnanagar, where gold jewellery worth about Rs. 10 lakh was stolen, went through the CCTV footages of the house and found Shubha, wife of Manjunath, stealing them, following which, the Cops arrested her.

Depressed over his wife being arrested and sent to jail, Manjunath on Aug. 7, poured petrol on himself and set ablaze resulting in serious burn injuries.

Though he was rushed to K.R. Hospital, he breathed his last yesterday morning after failing to respond to the treatment.

Kuvempunagar Inspector Vijaykumar, who has registered a case in this regard, is investigating.

Woman cheated of Rs. 13 lakh

Had given money to a confidant to return her loan taken to fund a film

Mysuru, Aug. 10 (RK&KS)- A woman, who had given Rs. 13 lakh to a known person to return the loan she had taken to fund a film in which her son was playing the lead role, has been cheated as the known person has not returned the loan nor has returned her the money. The woman, who was cheated, has been identified as Manjula, a resident of Kuvempunagar and the accused has been identified as Dinesh.

In her complaint to Kuvempunagar Police yesterday, Manjula has stated that she had taken the loan to fund the film *'Mandya to Mumbai'* in which her son Shekar was playing the lead role. As the film did not do well, huge losses were incurred and the financiers were demanding their money back.

Manjula, who managed to get Rs. 13 lakh to pay the financiers, had given the same to Dinesh to pay the financiers. But Dinesh has not paid the money to the financiers and has cheated her, she has stated in the complaint.

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WORD OF THE DAY

Vociferous

Pronunciation: voh-sif-er-uh s
Meaning: Crying out noisily; clamorous; characterised by or uttered with vociferation.
Origin: Vociferous descends from the Latin vociferārī meaning "to shout," which in turn derives from the Latin root vōx meaning "voice." It entered English in the early 1600s.

THE ODD WORD

Halitus

Vapour; breath

PHRASE OF THE DAY

A knock-back

Meaning: A reversal of fortune or disappointment. Also used in a verb form as to knock-back, meaning to refuse an offer.

Origin: In its reversal of fortune meaning, the phrase originated in the late 19th century. For example, The Evesham Journal, May 1898: "He objected to the powers of the guardians being relegated to the officers. It was a knock-back." The 'refuse an offer' meaning originated and is largely limited to Australia and New Zealand, although due to Australian soap operas like neighbours, the term now has currency on the UK. It was known in Australia by 1919, when it was defined by Walter H. Downing, in his handbook Digger dialects 1919: "Knock-back, a refusal."
John Brophy and Eric Partridge, in Songs and slang of the British soldier, 1931, record the third meaning:
"Knock it back- To eat; sometimes, to drink."
That meaning evolved since over the last 75 years and is now usually limited to drinking.

QUOTE BOX

To achieve great things, two things are needed: a plan and not quite enough time. **—Leonard Bernstein**

RIDDLE THIS

Which creature walks on four legs in the morning, two legs in the afternoon, and three legs in the evening?

Answer: Man. He crawls on all fours as a baby, then walks on two feet as an adult, and then walks with a cane as an old man.

SUDOKU

3			8	5				
7		8				1		
5			1					7
	9		3				4	
		4				2		
	7				4		5	
9					2			1
		3				6		8
				3	1			4

Answer to previous puzzle

6	2	9	8	3	1	4	7	5
7	8	1	2	5	4	6	3	9
4	5	3	7	9	6	8	2	1
8	9	5	3	7	2	1	4	6
3	4	6	5	1	9	7	8	2
2	1	7	6	4	8	9	5	3
5	3	4	1	6	7	2	9	8
1	7	2	9	8	3	5	6	4
9	6	8	4	2	5	3	1	7

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

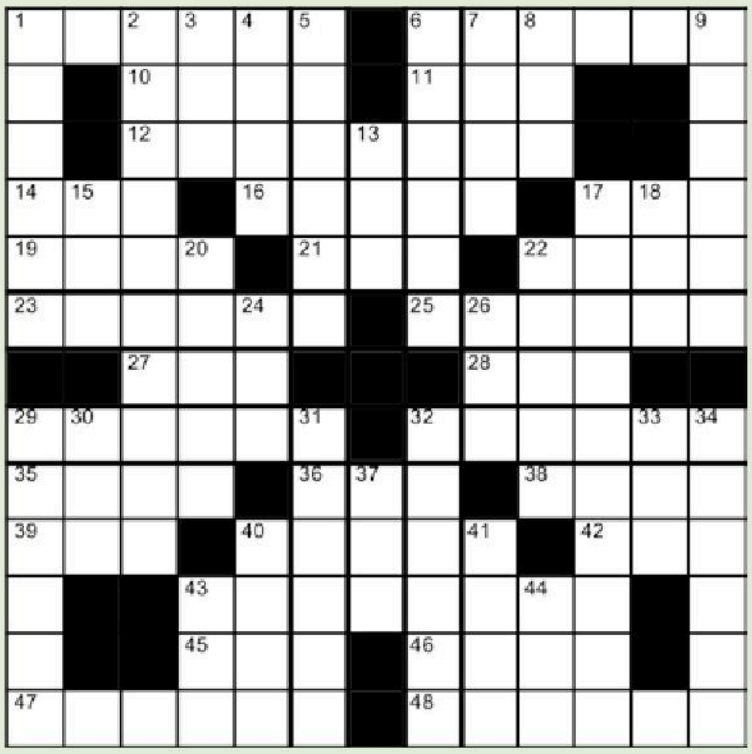
1 Intense dislike or aversion
6 Casual trousers?
10 Pert or impertinent
11 Rocky hill
12 Bluish violet quartz
14 ___ up : increase in strength or accelerate sharply?
16 You should have these at your finger tips!
17 ___, borrow or steal?
19 Egg-shaped
21 Suffix denoting native or inhabitant
22 Danny ___ : famous U.S. comedian?
23 Great eminence
25 Mended socks
27 Bill and ___ : whisper sweet nothings?
28 Rani Laxmi ___ : the freedom loving queen?
29 ___ or later : eventually?
32 Employed again
35 The possessive case of "we"
36 Suffix denoting place or ownership?
38 You in old English
39 ___ into : corroded?
40 Ready for immediate use? (2,3)
42 Master of Science in Linguistics, deg.
43 What every actor craves to have to play? (4,4)
45 Israeli submachine gun
46 Heavenly body
47 Definitely less brighter
48 Stop talking (4,2)

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER:

T	A	T	S	■	E	L	L	■	N	E	T	T
S	O	H	A	■	L	O	O	■	Y	O	U	R
A	P	A	E	■	L	A	W	R	E	N	C	E
R	A	I	■	L	I	M	E	Y	■	S	K	Y
■	■	L	O	I	S	■	R	A	W	■	■	■
Y	E	A	S	T	■	V	E	N	I	S	O	N
A	I	N	T	■	K	I	D	■	P	O	S	E
W	A	D	E	K	A	R	■	D	E	L	A	Y
■	■	■	O	H	M	■	A	I	D	E	■	■
A	M	C	■	A	P	A	C	E	■	M	L	A
S	T	A	G	N	A	N	T	■	G	N	A	T
I	N	T	O	■	L	E	O	■	O	L	P	E
S	L	O	B	■	A	T	R	■	T	Y	P	E

DOWN

1 Intense feeling of loathing or fear?
2 Former South Indian state
3 Odd, strange, or queer, as in, "a ___ fellow?
4 Kolkata's ___ Gardens
5 Keep in custody
6 Designed, made or named
7 The opposite of a gain
8 Esthetic pursuit
9 Hung loosely
13 Strike a ball, for instance
15 Adam's wife
17 Exile
18 Organ of sight
20 Kind of diving birds, crazy persons
22 A German, in a derogatory way?
24 Tremendous grief
26 Little Mr. Lincoln?
29 Flew like an eagle
30 Stand ____ : be prominent?
31 Pierre Auguste ____ : famous French painter?
32 Supplies new weapons
33 Greek goddess of dawn
34 India's cricket trophy
37 PCO facility
40 Flow out in a trickle, seep through slowly
41 Milne's bear Winnie the ___
43 Up a __ tree : in great difficulties?
44 Pet name for Louis?



CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

EOPX GYIPYXP SPDDG QYJ GYIPSOUXH APBUPG APGLMUKSUYX, QYJ

LTX RP KMPSSQ GJMP OP'G HYUXH SY OTFP T HY TS US TXQETQ

TODAY'S CLUE: P EQUALS E

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: You must first have a lot of patience to learn to have patience.

NOW SHOWING

Movie	Theatre	Phone	Shows
KANNADA			
Raj Vishnu	Saraswathi	2541451	4 Shows
	Lakshmi	2443584	4 Shows
	Sangam	2520494	4 Shows
	Mahadeshwara	9900820093	4 Shows
Thathana Thithi Mommagana Prastha			
	Prabha	2423569	4 Shows
	Thibbadevi	2452958	4 Shows
	Sri Maruthi	9980351129	4 Shows
Vismaya	Woodlands	2422871	4 Shows
Dhairyam	Sterling	2481170	4 Shows
	Lido	2420885	4 Shows
Raajakumara	Skyline	2481170	4 Shows
Operation Alamelamma	Gayathri	2443568	4 Shows
HINDI			
Jab Harry Met Sejal	Shanthala	2427584	4 Shows
	Sri Nagaraj	2520490	4 Shows
	Balaji Deluxe	2497199	4 Shows
Munni Metric Pass	Olympia	2420737	4 Shows
College Girl	Uma	2520009	4 Shows
TAMIL			
Vetri Vizha	Padma	2521923	4 Shows
TELUGU			
Darsakudu	Rajkamal	2423554	4 Shows

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Raj Vishnu (K)	(S-1)	10.45 am, 1.30 pm 4.15 pm, 7.00 pm
Jab Harry Met Sejal (H)	(S-1)	9.55 pm
	(S-4)	11 am, 1.45 pm, 4.30 pm 7.15 pm, 9.55 pm
Mubarakan (H)	(S-2)	1.30 pm
Vikram Vedha (Ta)	(S-2)	4.20 pm, 7.05 pm
Varnyathil Aashanka (Ma)	(S-2)	9.55 pm
Operation Alamelamma (K)	(S-3)	11.00 am, 1.45 pm, 7.00 pm, 9.45 pm
Ondu Motteya Kathe (K)	(S-2)	10.55 am
	(S-3)	4.30 pm

INOX LIVE THE MOVIE — PH: 2533444 / 2533456

Jab Harry Met Sejal (H)	(S-1)	9.55 am, 12.15 pm, 3.10 6.05 pm, 9 pm
	(S-2)	12.55 pm, 3.55 pm 6.55 pm, 9.55 pm
	(S-4)	10.30 am, 1.25 pm
Raj Vishnu (K)	(S-3)	12.55 pm, 6.55 pm
Dunkirk (E)	(S-1)	9.50 am
Mubarakan (H)	(S-3)	3.50 pm
	(S-4)	9.55 pm
Vikram Vedha (Ta)	(S-3)	9.50 pm
Operation Alamelamma (K)	(S-3)	10.00 am
	(S-4)	4.30 pm, 7.10 pm

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AIR ON FRIDAY

6.00 am Patriotic Songs, 6.10 Geetaradhana, 6.30 Chinthana, 6.45 Gandhi Smruthi, 6.50 Sponsored Prog., 7.15 Bhavageete, 8.30 Radio Doctor, 8.35 Haadiyalli Kanda Mukha, 9.15 Namma Arogya, 10.00 Vocal Recital, 10.30 Hindi Film Songs, 11.00 Kamanabillu, 12.30 Mahila Ranga, 1.00 pm Devaranama, 1.20 Bhavageete, 1.30 Madhyanada Madhurya, 2.15 Hindi Film Songs, 2.35 Chinnara Chukki, 4.00 Flute Recital, 5.00 Gaana, 6.50 Krishi Ranga, 8.00 Reshme Siri, 9.30 Hindustani Music, 10.30 Savinenapu.

EVENTS TODAY (AUG.10)

Photo Expo: World Photography Day-2017, Photography Exhibition by Mysuru Photojournalists, **up to 9 pm;** Inaugural programme, Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji graces the occasion, CM Siddharamaiah inaugurates, District Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa and Industrialist P.V. Giri chief guests, felicitation to senior photographer Netra Raju and K.H. Chandru, Suchitra Art Gallery, Kalamandira premises, **4.30 pm.**

Sri Bhandarakeri Mutt: 38th Chaturmasya Vratam of Sri Bhandarakeri Mutt Pontiff Sri Vidyesha Teertha Swamiji, 'Harinama Sankeerthana' by Bhajana Mandali, **4.30 pm to 5.30 pm;** Discourse, Sri Venkatachaladhama, Ramaswamy Circle, **6 pm to 7.30 pm.**

Maharshi Meditation and Personality Development Centre: Practical lecture on the topic 'Mane Maddu' by Dr. D.L. Balakrishna, Ayurveda Doctor, Centre premises, CA-05, 11th Cross, 2nd Main, near Banker's Recreation Club, Sharadadevinagar, **5 pm.**

Krishik Sarvodaya Foundation, Mysuru: Valedictory of KAS exams training, retd. UoM VC Prof. K.S. Rangappa chief guest, retd. KSOU VC Dr. N.S. Ramegowda presides, Foundation premises, Gen. K.S. Thimmaiah Road, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, **5.15 pm.**

Bellipadi Yaksha Samskrutika Trust, Mysuru: 'Mysuru Yakshotsava' by Puttur Sri Mahalingeshwara Pravasi Yakshagana Kala Vrinda, Yakshagana 'Parijatha Narakasura Vadhe,' Jaganmohan Palace, **6 pm.**

Suttur Mutt, Mysuru branch: Shravana month, Mass prayers, **6 pm to 6.30 pm;** Discourse on 'Gubbi Mallannaarya's Veerashaivamrutha Purana' by Prof. S. Nanjundaiah, Vaachana by Dr. K. Ramachandra, Mutt premises, foot of Chamundi Hill, **6.30 pm to 7.30 pm.**

Bharati Yogadhama of Sri Sadvidya Pratishtana, Sri Vedavidya Prasarini Sabha and Sarada Vilas Educational Institutions: Discourse on 'Bhagavatha Katha' by senior scholar Dr. K.L. Shankaranarayana Jois, Sarada Vilas Centenary Hall, Krishnamurthypuram, **6.15 pm to 8.15 pm.**

Sharana Sahitya Parishat, Mysuru city unit: Shravana Sharana Sanje, residence of M.A. Nilambika, #242, Uttaradi Mutt Road, Khille Mohalla, **6.30 pm to 8 pm.**

Sri Shaneshwara Bhakta Mandali: Shravana Month Programmes, Sugama Sangeetha by Sundar Gympets and troupe from Mysuru, Temple premises, 1st Cross, Pensioners Block, Rajendranagar, **7 pm.**

EPF Organisation: Nidhi Apke Nikat (Bhavishyanidhi Adalat), Subscribers, **10.30 am to 1 pm;** Trade Unions and Employers Association, **10.30 am to 1 pm;** Employers, **3 pm to 4 pm,** Exempted Establishments, Sub-Regional Office, EPF Organisation, Bhavishyanidhi Bhavan, 2nd Stage, Gayathripuram, **4 pm to 5 pm.**

Sri Raghavendraswamy Brindavan Sannidhana, Subbarayanakere: Sri Raghavendraswamy's 346th Aradhana Mahotsava, puja and abhisheka, **5 am onwards;** Karnatak Classical Music by Aparna and troupe, **6 pm;** Karnatak music by R.C. Vijesh, Sannidhana premises, **8 pm.**

Sri Raghavendraswamy Seva Samiti, Jayalakshmipuram: Sri Raghavendraswamy's 346th Aradhana Mahotsava, puja and abhisheka, **5 am onwards;** Bhajans by Sri Swara Bhajana Mandali, **5.30 pm;** Classical Music by Vid. Sandeep Narayan, Mutt premises, **6.30 pm.**

Sri Guru Raghavendra Aradhana Samiti, Somanathanagar: Sri Guru Raghavendraswamy's 346th Aradhana Mahotsava, pujas and homas, **6 am onwards;** Hindustani Classical Music by Pt. Shankar Shanbhag, accompanied by Sriram Bhat on harmonium and Ramesh Dhannur on tabla, #29, 'Sarvabhouma', 3rd Block, Somanathanagar, Dattagalli 3rd Stage, **6.30 pm.**

Sri Krishna Mithra Mandali and Sri Krishna Trust: Sri Guru Raghavendraswamy's 346th Aradhana Mahotsava, Ganasudhe by Katyayini Sundaresh, Sri Krishnadhama, Saraswathipuram, **6 pm.**

Sri Ramakrishna Ashrama: Swami Jnanayoganandaji speaks on 'Kathopanishad,' Ashrama premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (AUG. 11)

Sri Raghavendraswamy Brindavan Sannidhana, Subbarayanakere: Sri Raghavendraswamy's 346th Aradhana Mahotsava, puja and abhisheka, **5 am onwards;** Daasarapada recitation by Deepika Venimadhava, Sannidhana premises, **7 pm.**

Sri Raghavendraswamy Seva Samiti, Jayalakshmipuram: Sri Raghavendraswamy's 346th Aradhana Mahotsava, puja and abhisheka, **5 am onwards;** Vocal recital by Spurthi Manjunath, **5.30 pm;** Veena recital by Vid. Balu Masti, Mutt premises, **6.30 pm.**

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MMK&SDM Girls PU College and Kannada & Cultural Department, Assistant Director Office, Mysuru: 70th Independence Day celebration, Inter-Collegiate Kannada Debate Competition on the topic 'Post-Independence, are Indians really independent?,' Krishnamurthypuram, **9 am.**

CO-OPTEX: Exhibition of Silk Kora Cotton and Cotton Sarees, Co-optex Showroom, N.S. Road, **10 am to 8 pm.**

The New Beginning Charitable Trust and The New Beginning Competitive Institution: SP Ravi D. Channannavar inaugurates, State Adult Education Committee Treasurer Y.N. Shankaregowda chief guest, #392, Jnana Marga, Siddarthanagar 1st Stage, **10 am.**

Sahara Art and Craft: Shopping Festival-2017, Scouts & Guides Ground, behind DC's Office, **10.30 am to 9.30 pm.**

Mysuru Samajika Chintanegala Abhivyakti Samsthe: 'Sarthaka Sadhaka Siddharamaiah-70,' Economist & former RS MP Prof. Balachandra Mungekar inaugurates, writer Prof. Kalegowda Nagawara, Congress leader B.L. Shankar, journalist Ravindra Reshme, District Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa, CM's Media Advisor Dinesh Amin Mattur will speak, Samsthe Convenor Dr. B.J. Vijaykumar presides, Rani Bahadur auditorium, Hunsur Road, **11 am.**

Wadiyar Centre for Architecture: Spic Macay Concert by Mallick Brothers — Prashant and Nishant Mallick, Centre premises, Krishnaraja Boulevard, Chamaraja Mohalla **5.30 pm.**

Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha: V. Raman of Raman Boards Memorial Concert - Karnatak Classical Vocal by Vidu. Aishwarya Vidya Raghunath, accompanied Vidu. Nalina Mohan on violin, Vid. B.C. Manjunath on mridanga, Sangeetha Kalanidhi K. Vasudevacharya Bhavana, JLB Road, **6 pm.**

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Sri Andal Mandiram Trust: Bharatanatyam by B.S. Latha and troupe, Mandiram premises, Vani Vilas Mohalla, **6 pm.**

Ganabharathi: Veena concert in memory of Vid. Swaramurthy V.N. Rao, veena concert by Vidu. Rakshitha Ramesh, accompanied by Vid. Saishivu Laxmi Keshav on mridanga and Vid. Raghunandan Vyasa Rao on ghata, Ganabharathi premises, Adichunchanagiri Road, Kuvempunagar, **6 pm.**

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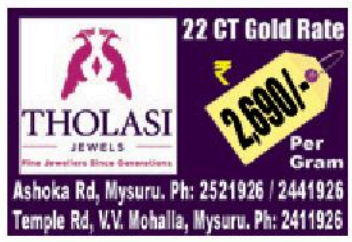

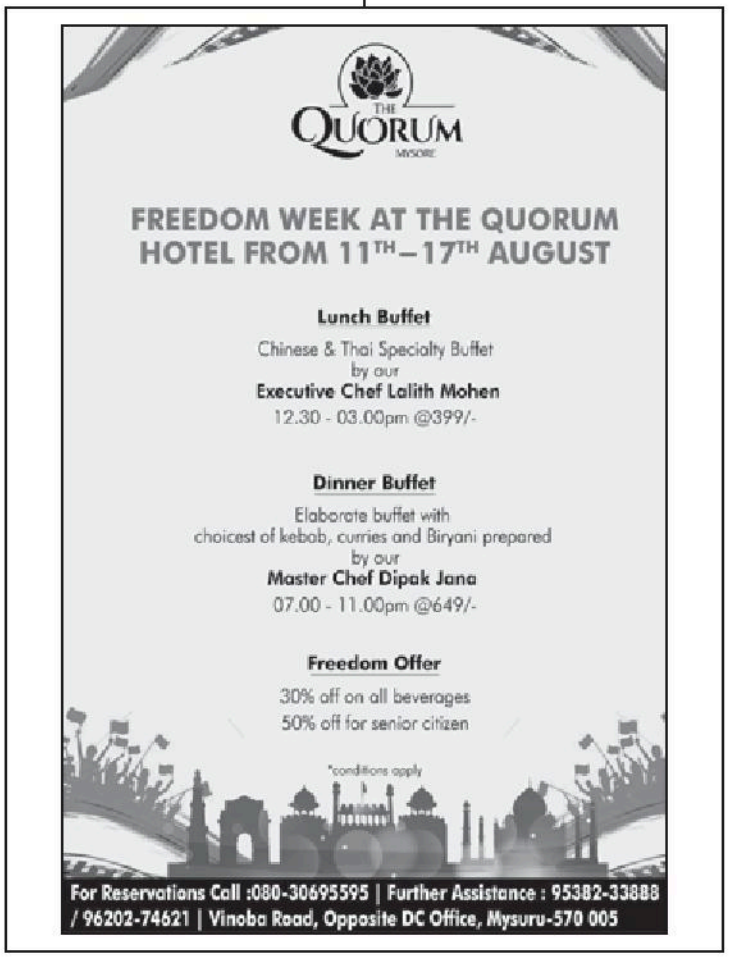
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